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WORLD'S FAIR MAY BE POSTPONED TO 1904

Gov. Francis and Adolphus Busch Announce That, Owing to Possible Delay in Exhibits From Abroad, Exposition May Be Put Back One Year.

TWO NATIONAL CONVENTIONS POSSIBLE

Messrs. Thompson, Spencer and Stevens Have Not Been Notified of a Proposed Postponement.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The Louisiana Purchase Exposition, which was to have been held in St. Louis in 1903, will not take place until 1904. This fact was practically conceded by ex-Gov. Francis, president of the exposition company, and Adolphus Busch, the financial agent of the company, at the White House today.

Since arriving here and conferring with the foreign representatives Gov. Francis and Mr. Busch have come to the conclusion that unless the Exposition is postponed for a year the Exposition will not be able to secure the elaborate foreign exhibits which are desired. They find, for instance, that a great Japanese fair is to be given under government auspices in 1903, and if the Exposition is postponed until 1904 everything of interest exhibited there can be brought to St. Louis the following year.

It is the desire of the Exposition management that the foreign exhibits especially shall be very complete.

"In 1903 we can make the Exposition as great as any ever given," said Gov. Francis, "but if we postpone it a year it will surpass anything in the exposition line ever attempted. We can be ready in 1903, but it is questionable whether we can secure what we want from abroad by that time."

In order to interest foreign governments it is the desire of the exposition management that the foreign agents of the Exposition be appointed and accredited by the state department and steps are being taken to that end now.

Yesterday Gov. Francis and Mr. Busch extended an invitation through the German embassy to Prince Henry to visit St. Louis during his stay in this country, but no reply had been received up to noon today.

CORWIN SPENCER'S STATEMENT

Following the receipt of the Associated Press dispatch in St. Louis First Vice President Corwin H. Spencer and Secretary Stevens held a conversation with President Francis in Washington, over the private wire from the Francis Brothers' office.

Immediately after this wire conference, Messrs. Spencer, Stevens and other fair officials conferred, and as a result of this conference Mr. Spencer gave the following signed statement to the press:

"I have just received a dispatch from President Francis, saying: 'I have not talked of postponement nor admitted it at all.'"

NEWS TO TREASURER THOMPSON

William H. Thompson, treasurer of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co., was in his private office in the National Bank of Commerce at noon when informed by the Post-Dispatch of the Associated Press dispatch announcing the proposed postponement.

"You may say for me," he said, "that this is not the work for which those gentlemen were sent to Washington. You may also say that if the World's Fair is postponed to 1904 I will not be in it. I am working for a fair to be held in 1903."

After thinking a moment Mr. Thompson again said:

"Yes, say that. If the Fair is postponed until 1904 I will not be in it. I shall try and talk over the long distance 'phone to Mr. Francis this afternoon."

"Is it probable that you may have further information to give out?" was asked.

"I can't say."

Then another pause, when just as the reporter was leaving, Mr. Thompson said:

"I had an intimation of this last night, but I refused to credit the report."

NATIONAL CONVENTIONS MAY BE HELD

When news that the World's Fair might be postponed to 1904 reached the corridors of St. Louis hotels, politicians who had congregated to discuss the Democratic committee meeting Saturday expressed the opinion that the postponement would benefit St. Louis politically.

"It is just the thing for St. Louis because both of the great party presidential conventions can be procured by the city," said one. "Politicians coming from remote states to the convention could attend them and the Fair, killing two birds with one stone."

WHAT ADOLPHUS BUSCH SAID

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—When President Francis and Adolphus Busch left the audience chamber at the White House this morning they were met by several newspaper correspondents, who asked them if, in their conference with the President, they had decided to ask Congress to postpone the World's Fair.

President Francis remarked that the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company could be ready by that time, but that the following year would be preferred.

"Well, if we have the Fair in 1903 the foreign governments will not be ready," said Adolphus Busch.

Mr. Busch was cautioned by President Francis that what he said would be printed.

"Well, I don't care," said Mr. Busch. "It's true and we might as well face the truth. Look at Japan. It will have a fair of its own in 1903 and can't be expected to join us. But, if we put it off a year she can come in and will do so."

"All right, blame the foreign governments," said President Francis.

"That's exactly the situation," concluded Mr. Busch. "We must postpone for the foreign governments."

REAL ESTATE MEN WILLING

Malcolm Macbeth Says Postponement of the Fair Would Please Them.

Malcom Macbeth, a former president of the St. Louis Real Estate Exchange and prominent in realty circles, said to the Post-Dispatch when informed that the Fair might be postponed until 1904:

"Real estate men would hail such an announcement with a great deal of joy.

"St. Louis is not ready for the Fair next year, nor can it get ready. There are possibly a few interests which will carry heavy burdens through the period of postponement, but the great mass of realty holders will profit by a postponement. It will give them an opportunity to build houses, and in addition, the streets of the city can be improved. It is important that we have pretty streets. If we do not, the world will be but poorly entertained here, no matter what we have to exhibit at the Fair grounds.

"St. Louis needs for the Fair a great many compartment houses and a world of private dwellings. Then it needs hotels. We have had within the last two months a convention which overtaxed the hotel capacity of the city. What would we do with the people who come to the Fair in our present state of unpreparedness?

"I believe there will be a few dissenting voices among real estate men of the city when I say that postponement of the Fair until we can get ready for it means everything to St. Louis."

HOTELS ARE NOT AFFECTED

Manager Lewis of the Southern Hotel, when informed that the World's Fair might be postponed to 1904, said:

"The news is not surprising to me, for all along I have expected it. A $25,000,000 exposition cannot be built in a day.

"So far as the hotel situation is concerned, I cannot see that the postponement will make any difference, except that we must wait one year longer for the increased business which the Fair will bring.

"At the Southern we could get ready for the World's Fair rush in 30 days, as we do not intend to enlarge the house.

"This postponement, of course, will be welcomed by those who intend to build new hotels and who do not care to be rushed with the work. Some hotels, I understand, are to be enlarged, but doubtless all could get ready by 1903, if that were necessary.

"It is too early yet, in any event, for the hotel people to have made any arrangements for a rush of business that is 16 months off even without postponement.

"On the whole, I should say that another year for preparation will be welcomed by nearly all lines of business."

MAYOR WELLS SATISFIED

Declares That He Is Willing to Leave Welfare of Fair in Hands of Its Directors.

"I take the position," said Mayor Wells, "that the work of the World's Fair is in the hands of the World's Fair Association's directors, so I am satisfied to rely on their judgment as to the time of holding the Fair. If they say 1904 I hold that they speak advisedly and in the popular interest. I have had no private information of the Fair's postponement. All I have learned about it I got from the dispatches."

STOPPED BY AN EARTHQUAKE

MEXICO CITY, MEX., Jan. 17.—At the afternoon session of the Pan-American conference one of the Chilian delegates was speaking when a premonitory tremble spread consternation through the assembly, and for nearly one minute afterward the gilded hall of sessions was swayed and groaned like the saloon of an ocean liner from an earthquake. The delegates sprang from their chairs and grabbed their desks in alarm, but were reassured by the calmness of the Mexicans. The proceedings were interrupted for fully ten minutes.

The session terminated at 6:30 o'clock without coming to a vote on the plan of accepting The Hague articles.

PRESIDENT MAY AID ST. LOUIS MEN IN GETTING HENRY

Francis and Busch Enlist Baron Von Holleben.

PRINCE ANTICIPATES WELCOME

WAS ONCE A GUEST OF ST. LOUIS' GERMAN CONSUL.

Keeps Up Correspondence and Sent a New Year's Card Just as Any Other Very Good Friend Might Do.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Gov. Francis and Adolphus Busch, who are in Washington endeavoring to have St. Louis included in the itinerary of Prince Henry of Prussia while in the United States, have had audiences with the President, Secretary of State Hay and Baron von Holleben, the German ambassador.

No decision on the subject has yet been reached, but the St. Louisans are hopeful that when the official program is announced a visit to St. Louis will form one portion.

The St. Louisans think if Prince Henry once sees the Exposition preparations he will become justly enthusiastic and a great boom for the Fair will have been started in Germany.

Because his daughter will christen the Kaiser's yacht, President Roosevelt will attend the launching. He will doubtless be accompanied by nearly all the members of the cabinet.

"Fighting Bob" Deeply Interested.

Rear-Admiral Robley D. Evans, who will command the receiving squadron when Prince Henry arrives in New York Bay, is taking the deepest interest in the coming visit of the prince. He will assemble the receiving squadron off Tompkinsville Feb. 17 and hoist his flag presumably over the Illinois, as the new battleship will be the most imposing vessel in the command.

Capt. Converse will command the Illinois and Capt. Lyon the Olympia.

The Cincinnati, Capt. McLean; the San Francisco, Capt. Walker, and the training ship Hartford will be in the squadron.

Rear-Admiral Evans will meet the prince at Sandy Hook and escort him up the bay. The admiral has selected as his aides Lieuts. Chapin and Washington.

Prince Henry will be a guest at the German embassy on Highland Terrace, Massachusetts avenue, while in this city. Doctor von Holleben so informed the state department. The embassy will be taxed to its utmost to accommodate the royal party.

The visit of Prince Henry and the trip of the President to witness the launching will be discussed at the day's meeting of the cabinet. It is now contemplated that Assistant Secretary of State Hill will represent the state department at the launching.

Mr. Downey, of the firm which is building Emperor Williams yacht, is in Washington and today will confer with the President and Secretary Hay as to the date of the launching. Mr. Downey says the firm will arrange its program to harmonize with the official plans.

"The question of time doesn't enter largely into the matter. The date must be fixed with reference to the tide."

Mr. Downey said the bottle to be used by Miss Roosevelt is now at Tiffanys' being decorated.

Prince Pleased by Trip Plans.

Count von Seckendorf, marshal of the imperial court in Berlin, who will accompany Prince Henry to America, writes to an American friend here that the prince and the members of his suite are delighted at the idea of their trip to America, and talk of nothing else. Seckendorf says he will be delighted to renew the acquaintances he made on his visits to San Francisco and other cities in 1869 and 1872, of which he has the pleasantest recollections.

No one in St. Louis is more hopeful that Prince Henry will include St. Louis in his itinerary than Dr. Frederick Charles Rieloff, the imperial German consul at St. Louis, who resides at 3837 West Pine boulevard.

Probably no one in America knows Prince Henry more intimately than Dr. Rieloff. Prior to coming to St. Louis, Dr. Rieloff was at the head of the German consulate at Hong Kong. He resided in a beautiful villa called Valta, in the suburbs of that ancient city.

There Dr. Rieloff had the honor of entertaining Prince Henry and the Princess Irene. That was in 1899. Prince Henry came to China on the German man-of-war Deutschland.

He was not a guest on the big battleship, however, but was aboard her in his official capacity as rear admiral of the imperial German navy and chief of the second division of the squadron.

Gave a Photo to German Consul.

On the photograph which he presented to Dr. Rieloff, while the latter's guest, the prince signed himself "Henry, Prince of Prussia," and adds his naval title. He also inscribed on the upper corners of the photograph the date, Feb. 15, 1899, and the name of his flagship.

Prince Henry presented this photograph to Dr. Rieloff, encased in a handsome leather frame, the upper portion bearing the initial "H," intertwined with a miniature of the imperial crown.

Naturally Dr. Rieloff treasures this photograph among his most prized possessions. He has the honor of having it on one side of his mantel in the drawing room of his West Pine boulevard residence with an equally prized photograph of Princess Irene in a similar frame and also bearing her autograph on the opposite side of the mantel.

Dr. Rieloff has corresponded regularly with Prince Henry since the prince's return from Hong Kong to Berlin. Only a few days since Dr. Rieloff received through the mails a New Year's card from the brother of the Kaiser.

Prince Sends a New Year's Card.

It was just such a card as any other German citizen might write to a friend in this country—a few lines wishing the recipient the compliments of the season in words of most cordial friendship.

True to his naval predilections, however, the prince in selecting a card by which to wish his friend, Dr. Rieloff, the compliments of the holiday season selected a postkarte with one side illumined with the picture of a man-of-war.

While stationed at Hong Kong, Dr. Rieloff kept an autograph album in his villa, and among the most prized entries in the volume is one in which Prince Henry expresses his gratification at the most delightful time he has spent at Valta.

Dr. Rieloff hopes the prince will come to St. Louis. He says the St. Louisans who meet the imperial visitor will be delighted with him. If it should prove not convenient for the prince to visit St. Louis the doctor may possibly pay an official call on the prince at Washington.

PRINCE HENRY OF PRUSSIA.



This illustration is a reproduction from a photograph of the brother of the German Emperor, which was loaned to the Post-Dispatch for the purpose by Dr. Frederick Charles Rieloff, imperial German consul to St. Louis. It bears in German near the bottom this inscription in the prince's own handwriting: "Henry, Prince of Prussia, Rear Admiral and Chief of the Second Division of the Squadron." In the upper left-hand corner is the notation, also in the royal handwriting: "Hong Kong, February 15, 1899." The prince uses the Roman numerals to indicate the name of the second month. In the upper right-hand corner, "His Majesty's Ship Deutschland." Only the last of these four words is spelled out.

LIVES SAVED BY BREECHES BUOY

Nine Passengers Taken Off Grounded Steamer.

LAKE SHIP STRIKES A BAR

THRILLING RESCUE MADE BY THE LIFE-SAVING CREW.

Line Shot Out to the Vessel From a Mortar on Shore Hauled Aboard and the Imperiled People Succored.

LUDINGTON, Mich., Jan. 17.—The Pere Marquette Railway Co. steamer No. 3 struck the bar at the mouth of the harbor early today while attempting to enter in a high southwest gale and was scuttled in nine feet of water. The nine passengers and the crew of 35 were taken off the wrecked craft by the life saving crew with their breeches buoy apparatus. The No. 3 lies 150 feet from the end of the north pier and 200 feet from the shore with the great waves dashing over her decks. She is already a mass of ice.

The accident occurred before daylight. Passengers and crew were rudely awakened by the succession of shocks as the steamer pounded on the bar. Signals of distress were immediately blown and the life saving crew quickly responded. Running their mortar out on the pier the life savers sent a line to the wreck. A heavier rope was then hauled aboard and when day broke there was a line 200 feet long stretched from the pier to the No. 3 and the breeches buoy apparatus was ready for use. Over this line the nine passengers, four of whom were women, and the crew were safely taken in the breeches buoy in two hours. It was a thrilling rescue. As the people were drawn along the rope the great waves broke over them and all were drenched by the icy water when they arrived on the pier.

The boat was loaded with 25,000 bushels of barley and 200 tons of merchandise. The stranding occurred at almost exactly the same spot where the car ferry Muskegon struck and wrecked three weeks ago.

FOUR MEN DEAD.

Six Workmen Buried Under Caving Earth in Webb City Mine.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WEBB CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—Six men were buried in a cavein in one of the Aida mines last night and four of them are dead. Two have not yet been recovered.

The dead are:

PRINCE WESTFALL.
ARTHUR ROBERTS.
N. P. ASHCRAFT.
DON ONSTOTT.

THE SWEEPSTAKES

"The birds kin fly;
Now why can't I?
Be the bluebird and phebe
Smarter 'n we be?
Does th' little, chatterin', sassy wren,
No bigger 'n my thumb, know more 'n men?
Just show me that,
Or prove th' bat
Has got more brains than's in my hat!"

Darius Green, the original flying machine man, was from Missouri. You had to show him. If he were alive today he would be an easy favorite in that $200,000 stake race which the Louisiana Purchase Fair is going to pull off with flying machines. We shall likely see some machines patterned after birds, according to Darius' theory. One of America's experts in air navigation tells all about the men of this day who are trying to fly, and his story is illustrated with pictures of all the airships and flying machines that have ever flown. This is a feature of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

I've reached the land of bolomen—
The island of Samar;
Where ev'ry native with a knife
Is somewhat of a star.
But ah, ha, ha! I have no fear
That I shall here be lost,
For all the while I'm on the isle,
I'll keep my fingers crossed.

The bolomen of this Philippine island are perhaps the most formidable of the natives in the archipelago. Their recent surprise of American troops and the massacre at Balangiga is the most sanguinary incident of the war. The next Sunday Post-Dispatch is going to print for the first time in the United States, the full story of this massacre. It is told by a survivor.

"Man is a weak vessel, and the mistakes of his life have been many. One of his mistakes is particularly fatal. It is that of dying. Dying is a pure habit, but it is the best habit some people ever acquire. Man was probably never created to live forever and cause the earth to be overcrowded, but it certainly was no plan of his Maker to roll him on the earth and off again as he is going now, with scarce time to look around him and determine whether this is a rose garden or a vacant lot. Man works all his short life, and just when he reaches that period of existence when he knows something and has something, he ups and dies. Now why he should do this is inexplicable, except that he is more or less governed by woman, and woman does a whole lot of queer things!" —From a paper read by Prof. Wiggins before the Society for the Removal of the Spark of Life Arrester.

An American scientist has recently made a remarkable discovery stripping the problem of life and death of a great deal of its mystery. He believes there is no good reason why a man should not live forever. This is a startling statement, but the discovery is startling, and no other sort of statement could express its importance. The next Sunday Post-Dispatch will contain a page story, with photographs, explaining what this scientist has discovered.

THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Missouri—Fair Friday night, with warmer in east portion; Saturday colder, with rain or snow flurries; brisk southerly, shifting to northwest, winds Saturday.

600 PERSONS REPORTED KILLED BY EARTHQUAKE

News of a Terrible Disaster in the City of Chilpancingo Mexico, Has Been Received in Texas.

LAREDO, Tex., Jan. 17.—A telegram from the City of Mexico says a telegram has reached that city announcing that the City of Chilpancingo, in the State of Guerrero, suffered severely from yesterday's earthquake shock and that 600 persons were killed. No details have been received.

KAISER MAY COME IN THE AUTUMN TO UNITED STATES

Visit Hinges on Reception Given to Prince Henry.

MAY SAIL IN SEPTEMBER

ONLY OBSTACLE IS TIME CONSUMED IN LONG VOYAGE.

Distinguished Germans Who Are to Accompany the Brother of the Emperor on His Visit to This Country and Probably to St. Louis.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—A report from an authentic source is current in diplomatic circles today that the Kaiser will visit the United States in the autumn. A semi-official organ suggests that the Emperor's plans depend on the success of the visit of his brother, Prince Henry of Prussia. If he is treated with the respect due to a member of the royal family the Emperor will sail in September on the Hohenzollern and will remain about two weeks in America with a large escort of German warships.

Emperor William has occasionally told Americans that he would like to visit the United States. The only obstacle in the way of gratifying his desire is that reasons of state may forbid his leaving the fatherland for the period of time required even for a short visit to the United States. Nevertheless, those who know the Kaiser intimately say that his majesty, when he takes a sudden notion, is not easily balked even by reasons of state.

Prince Henry has been accorded 24 days' leave for the purpose of visiting the United States. He will leave Bremen Feb. 18 on th Kronprinz Wilhelm, reaching New York Feb. 24, and returning on the Deutschland March 20. This arrangement has been made in accordance with the Kaiser's desire to give crack vessels of the German merchant fleet the joint honor of carrying the imperial traveler.

Von Tirpitz and Gen. Von Plessen.

The secretary of the imperial admiralty, Admiral von Tirpitz, and the chief of Emperor William's personal military staff, Gen. von Plessen, are to accompany Prince Henry of Prussia on the latter's visit to the United States. The other members of the prince suite, besides Vice-Admiral Baron von Seckendorff and Adjutants von Schwind and Von Egidy, whose names have already been announced, will be Capt. von Troth, the Emperor's general aide-de-camp, Capt. von Muller, Commander von Grumme, who is also an aide-de-camp of the Emperor, and Staff Surgeon Reych. His majesty definitely made these selections, after conferences today in which Admiral von Seckendorff took part, at the old Schloss.

Admiral von Seckendorff, in giving the correspondent of the Associated Press these names, said: "The Emperor, personally, is making all the arrangements that can be made on this side. Details as to how Prince Henry shall spend his time in the United States are left to Secretary Hay and Von Holleben, but our general idea of the dates is this: We arrive on the Kronprinz Wilhelm Feb. 22 at New York. Prince Henry will go on board the Hohenzollern and will stay there till the launching of the Emperor's new yacht, which, we think, will probably be Feb. 24. We go to Washington to see the President, and perhaps will stay there several days. Then we make the most of the next few days in seeing other cities, returning to New York for two more days before we sail for home on the Deutschland March 8. This general design, you see, fills up about four weeks, one week in going each way and a fortnight in the United States."

It was suggested to Admiral Von Seckendorff that two weeks was not enough for the prince to see much of America and that he ought to spend a longer time in the United States, and go west and south, to which the admiral replied: "It would be difficult for his royal highness to spend a much longer time there, though the Deutschland's sailing can be delayed a day or two, if it seems desirable.

The Invitation to St. Louis.

"An invitation from St. Louis is mentioned, I see, but I am unable to say whether it will be accepted. That will be left to your people. Prince Henry simply wishes to spend his time as those at Washington may think to be to his best advantage. He looks forward with keen interest to the trip and expects to get pleasure and instruction out of it."

The admiral was asked if it were possible that the Emperor might visit the United States at some future time.

"It would please him greatly," answered von Seckendorff. "It is not an impossibility."

Admiral von Seckendorff visited Norfolk in 1860, on the Prussian warship Victoria, and was at San Francisco in 1872, on the old German warship Hertha, which has since been replaced by a new cruiser of the same name. The old Hertha was the first imperial German warship to visit the Pacific coast. She went to San Francisco after leaving Japan.

Von Seckendorff has vivid recollections of San Francisco and his fortnight's entertainment there.

Emperor William has ordered the Hohenzollern to be fitted out with all the accessories used when his majesty is on board the yacht.

The Lokal Anzeiger today prints the following: "Emperor William has commissioned Prince Henry to meet the prominent New York yachtsmen and invite them to participate in the Kiel regattas, beginning June 28. Prince Henry will also ask the President to permit the United States Mediterranean squadron to be present at Kiel during the regatta week, so that American seamen may participate in the barge races. Prince Henry bears a valuable present from Emperor William for Miss Roosevelt."

SIENCKIEWICZ NOT IN COURT.

He Cannot Be Summoned for Lese Majeste Because He Is a Russian.

BERLIN, Jan. 17.—The report that Henry Sienckiewicz, the Polish novelist, had been sumoned to appear before the law courts at Posen, Prussian Poland, on the charge of lese majeste, is untrue. Sienckiewicz is not a Prussian subject and lives in Warsaw, Russia.

LOVERS MEANT TO DIE TOGETHER

But Two Bullets Failed to Kill the Man.

MISS GERTY CLIFFORD DEAD

FREDERICK BROCKMAN SHOT TWICE IN THE HEAD.

Startling Tragedy During a Buggy Ride, the Motive for Which Is Detailed in a Letter Written by the Young Man.

LETTER LEFT BY BROCKMAN.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COFFEEN, Ill., Jan. 17.—Following is the letter found in Brockman's pocket:

Kind Friends, Brother and Sisters—I am going to commit suicide tonight. I am in my best mind, but I have made up my mind to leave this world behind. So good-by to all. I see there is only one way to settle this. So good-by to all. All you young fellows, take my advice and don't go the way I have. I hate the way I have done, but forgive me all. I owe so many people that I can't pay any; they are the cause of it. I know I have some friends, but they are few. They think I am a beat, but I may meet them all in the other world by and by. I have told Gertie what I am going to do and she says she must go, too. Bury me by the side of Fred. Will you, mother?

FRED AND GERTIE.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

COFFEEN, Ill., Jan. 17.—At 2 o'clock last night a horse and buggy stopped at Harris' livery barn. There was no driver. The buggy was found to contain the dead body of Miss Gerty Clifford, who lived near Donnellson, and Fred Brockman, badly wounded.

Miss Clifford was taken to an undertaking establishment and Brockman was placed in the hands of physicians. He was aroused from his unconscious state and placed under arrest. Miss Clifford had been shot three times, twice in the head and once in the thigh.

The only details of the crime so far known are as follows:

After securing a buggy and horse at the livery stable, last evening, Brockman drove to the home of William Laws, two miles west of Donnellson. There he secured the company of Miss Gertie Clifford, a granddaughter of Mr. Laws, who made her home with him. Young Brockman had been keeping company with the girl for some time and on this occasion nothing out of the ordinary way was suspected.

The family thought that the couple had gone for an evening ride and little dreamed of the crime that was to follow.

When the horse returned to the stable with the buggy and its dead and dying occupants, Brockman still held the weapon, a 32-caliber revolver, in his hand.

Brockman was removed to Dr. Cook's office, where an examination showed two scalp wounds, one of the bullets having lodged under the skin over the right eye. These were dressed and he was removed to the home of his brother, Charles Brockman. Attending physicians say that his wounds are not necessarily fatal.

A letter was found in his pocket, written on a letterhead used by the local Miners' Union, addressed to friends, which stated in part that he was going to commit suicide and that the young lady had requested that when he killed himself to end her life also.

W. H. Clotfelter stated to your correspondent that Brockman came into the Union saloon, just before he started out, and asked for a sheet of paper and an envelope. He was given the paper and the young man stood at the showcase and wrote the letter. No one knew what he was writing and little attention was paid to him. He turned to a number who were in the room at the time and shaking hands bade them good-by, stating that he expected to land in Oklahoma before tomorrow night.

Coroner Gray arrived here this morning from Butler and is holding an inquest.

TOOK SENTENCE FOR A FRIEND

Strange Devotion of Albert Gilmore, Postmaster, Now in Indiana Penitentiary.

LA PORTE, Ind., Jan. 17.—Albert Gilmore, until recently a prominent postmaster in southern Indiana, and a member of a leading family, will be received at the Michigan City prison in a few days to serve an indeterminate sentence for horse stealing.

Gilmore made no defense. He feigned guilty in order to save the real criminal, who was his friend. Influence brought to bear on Gilmore could not shake him in his decision to go to prison to save a man who had once befriended him.

The court, in view of the plea of guilty, passed sentence, but with the development of the facts which will clearly prove Gilmore's innocence, Gov. Durbin will be asked to pardon him.

SAGE'S ACCUSER

TALL AND STOUT

HIGHLY GIFTED

Miniature Painter of World-Wide Fame.

ENJOYS A LARGE INCOME

PAINTED LIKENESSES OF THE POPE AND OTHER PERSONS.

Lives in the Fashionable Colony of Lakewood, N. J., in an Elegant Home and Wears Costly Gems.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Isabella d'Ajuria, the woman who is suing Russell Sage for $75,000, as the result of his alleged conduct toward her nearly 18 years ago, is known to her friends as the widow of Marquis Gregorio d'Ajuria. She is one of the best-known miniature painters in America.

The Marchioness is a large woman, tall and stout, and is said to be between 40 and 50 years of age.

To many distinguished society folk in New York and Lakewood she has been known simply as Mme. Gregorio d'Ajuria. As the papers in her suit were filed in her maiden name, Isabella, not a few whose portraits she has painted did not at first identify the talented artist with the woman whose name is so strangely linked with that of the aged capitalist.

Mme. d'Ajuria, or the Marchioness d'Ajuria, as she claims the right to call herself, flashed upon the fashionabe colony of Lakewood, N. J., in the season of 1895. She appeared to be possessed of ample means, and rented from Mr. George Gould for the season the handsome cottage known as Gray Gables.

The Marchioness Wanted a Boarder.

One of the new neighbors was a man of large wealth who had recently become a widower. On returning from New York to his Lakewood home one evening he found awaiting him a perfumed note from Mme. d'Ajuria inviting him to call. He did so, and found her lavishly arrayed in a superb velvet evening gown. After some conversation and an exchange of neighborly courtesies, Mme. d'Ajuria suggested that, as her caller was then living alone, she had thought it might be agreeable for him to become a boarder with her at Gray Gables. She would at the same time, she said, if such an arrangement were pleasing to him, utilize the opportunity to paint for him his portrait in miniature.

Her neighbor did not care to give up his own home, and courteously declined to approve of such an arrangement.

Mme. d'Ajuria was well known at Lakewood also two years ago. At that time she rented expensive apartments in the leading hotel and lived on a scale of luxurious indulgence. With her were her only child, Oro, a daughter then about 12 years old, and a young woman who acted as Oro's governess. The child, though not unprepossessing in appearance, was afflicted both mentally and physically, and required constant watchful care.

Gould Sat for Her.

While at Lakewood Mme. d'Ajuria's reputation as a miniature painter had preceded her, and she obtained many lucrative engagements. Mrs. George J. Gould sat to her for a portrait, and other prominent patrons at the hotel became her clients. Before she left, toward the close of the season, the artist gave an attractive exhibition of miniatures, which were displayed in the lobby of the hotel. Among them was an exquisite miniature of the late Queen Victoria, which Mme. d'Ajuria professed to have painted from sittings granted her by the Queen. During each week of her sojourn at Lakewood on this occasion she was in receipt of a registered letter from some point in Algiers.

Mme. d'Ajuria has been well known for some time to Jacob J. Falk, a photographer, who has a studio in the Waldorf-Astoria. Through him she has received many orders for the painting of miniatures, and she has been for a year or more a regular visitor at that studio, although most of her actual work with the brush has been done at her home.

Portraits of Famous Men.

In a case at Falk's studio are exhibited many of the choicest miniature portraits. Among these are likenesses of Pope Leo XIII, Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mrs. Seward Webb and Mrs. George J. Gould. For painting the portrait of the Pope she is said to have received from his holiness a bronze medal, which he bestowed upon her in recognition of her skill.

In one of her collections there is also a portrait of the King of Italy, and Mr. Falk said yesterday that he believed Dr. Seward Webb and his daughter had both sat to her after she had painted the miniature of Mrs. Seward Webb.

From the best information available from persons with whom she has had business or social affiliations it is believed that Mme. d'Ajuria is an American woman by birth. While traveling through Italy many years ago she is said to have met the Marquis d'Ajuria and to have married him after he had returned to America with her, a brief but brisk courtship having followed their meeting.

Received High Prices for Work.

Among New York artists Mme. d'Ajuria is known not only as a gifted miniature painter, but as a woman of shrewd business instincts, who obtains high prices for her work and has had little difficulty in winning many lucrative orders. Her minimum price for painting a miniature is said to be $500. That she has enjoyed an excellent income is attested not only by her luxurious living while at Lakewood, but also by the fact that her northern home, a charming cottage at 124 Glen avenue, in the aristocratic section of Mount Vernon, costs her an annual rental of $800, and that she maintains at the same time a pleasant summer residence at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mr. Falk said that about six weeks ago Mme. d'Ajuria brought into his studio a check, which she desired to have carefully photographed. It was drawn to her order for the sum of $500 and some odd cents, and was signed with the autograph of Russell Sage and countersigned by the name of Mr. Sage's chief clerk. She cautioned Mr. Falk that he should not, under any circumstances, permit either the check or the photograph negative to be seen by strangers, explaining that the affair concerned was purely a private matter.

"I was considerably surprised," said Mr. Falk, "and I exclaimed: 'What! Has Russell Sage been having his miniature painted by you, and if so what are the odd cents in the check for?'"

In explanation Mme. d'Ajuria told him that Mr. Sage had not been having his miniature painted. "And as for those odd cents," she said, "well, they show that whatever this check is for, Mr. Sage has deducted his commission."

TITLED WOMAN WHO IS SUING RUSSELL SAGE FOR $75,000



Isabella d'Ajuria's Residence in Mount Vernon.



Isabella d'Ajuria

WOMAN'S HAND-SHAPED FENDER; HER GRIT GOT IT BEFORE B. P. I.

Mrs. John McGuire of 3203 Franklin avenue, is the promoter of a life-saving street car fender which may be used on every car in New St. Louis.

A model of this fender was selected by street railway officials and the fender committee of the Board of Public Improvements Wednesday as one of the ten models worthy of being built on a large scale, and tried on street cars. In this competition 76 fender models and designs were offered.

Mrs. McGuire championed her fender before President Phillips of the Board of Public Improvements, explained its workings to President Dupont of the transit company and Thursday visited Supt. Jenkins of the Suburban company to secure his indorsement.

The fender was entered in Mrs. McGuire's name in the competition.

Mrs. McGuire did not invent the fender. The idea is that of her husband, John McGuire, and was born as the result of a tragedy he witnessed.

Mrs. McGuire has shared in the fender's construction since its inception. She encouraged her husband to carry out his plan. She nerved his halting courage. She bought the materials of which the fender was constructed, and with her own hands



MRS. J. W. MCGUIRE.



bent the little wires that are used in the model.

McGuire was a witness to the death of the man killed by a transit car near Fourteenth street and Washington avenue last month. The next day he planned a fender which would prevent such tragedies. After his plans were drawn discouragement began. His friends feared that he was wasting his time.

So many expert street car men had failed to build the perfect fender, the friends said, that there was no chance for McGuire. Mrs. McGuire alone was sanguine.

McGuire's fender looks like the curved iron bar fenders now used on many transit cars. The new idea, and the controlling factor, is a tripping lever which throws the front of the fender to the ground whenever an obstacle is struck. This lever is of iron and is placed about the center of the front car platform.

It is fastened to the platform by an iron bar at right angle to the lever and one end of the lever holds the fender nine inches off the rails. A powerful spring connected to the other end is designed to hold the nose of the fender to the rails when it is down.

While the car is running the fender is held above the rails. But when the fender drops a safety catch engages a notch in the trip lever and absolutely prevents the bottom of the fender from being raised off the rail. A human body all g in fr nt of the fender would by impact throw the trip lever, and be scooped up in the curved body of the fender, which will be made of curved iron bars held together by a wooden framework.

"Mr. Dupont says our fender is a good one," said Mrs. McGuire to the Post-Dispatch. "He said it seemed a simple contrivance and looked like it would do the work and could be constructed at small cost. We will have a fender built and placed on a street car and I am confidant we will prove its worth."

Mrs. McGuire claims and the model demonstrates that the fender will work automatically and trip whenever the front end strikes an object of weight. A motorman can also trip the fender with his foot.

Knocking Them All Silly.

Those Suits and Overcoats in the great Clearing Sale. Globe, 7th and Franklin av. See page 5.

SERIOUS PRACTICAL JOKE.

Surgical Operation Resulted From Foolish Prank at Sturges, Mo.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., Jan. 17.—A very peculiar operation was performed on James Clarkson of Sturges at St. Mary's hospital in this city by Dr. A. J. Simpson. A darning needle two and one-half inches long was removed from his back.

Six weeks ago Clarkson sat down on a chair in a country store at Sturges that had a needle, spring and string attachment in the seat. Someone pulled the string and Clarkson carried away the needle. Although the men at the store missed the needle, they did not know Clarkson had carried it away in his flesh.

The steel shaft had worked upward 12 inches, and when located with an X-ray machine was in the center of a tumor of its own formation.

The true gold medal flour is the "TABLE QUEEN." It merited this prize over all competitors at Buffalo exposition.

"BAD JACK" JURY TO BE EXAMINED

Grandjury Will Conduct an Investigation.

SUMMONSES ARE ISSUED

RUMORS THAT BODY WAS TAMPERED WITH REPORTED.

Service Has Been Obtained on Ten of the Jurors and Two of Them Are Being Sought by Deputies.

THE "BAD JACK" JURY.

H. W. MACK, grain, 3518 South Jefferson avenue.
CHARLES W. MARTIN, tents, 2947 Dayton street.
CLINTON L. MEHAGEN, manufacturers' agents, 4551 Cook avenue.
ALFRED J. MOORSHEAD, coal, 5637 Cabanne avenue.
FRANK W. NESMITH, railroad agent, 4414 North Market street.
SAMUEL H. OVERHOLT, general baggage agent Wabash, 859 Goodfellow avenue.
AUSTIN OWEN, JR., department manager L. M. Rumsey, 6420 Marmaduke avenue.
JUSTIN A. PICKUP, secretary Missouri Sheet Iron Works, 3023 Wyoming avenue.
JACOB RETTER, secretary Wormser Filter Co., 2618 Virginia avenue.
ARTHUR P. RICHARDSON, commission, 3651 Russell avenue.
JACOB F. SILBER, assistant superintendent Prudential Insurance Co., 5141 Ohio avenue.
WILLIAM SKELLETT, JR., coal, 3138 Sheridan avenue.

The special jury that could not agree on the guilt or innocence of "Bad Jack" Williams, "Dutch Louie" Fingerlin and "Oyster Jack" Seifort is being investigated by the December grandjury.

Summonses were issued for each one of the 12 last Wednesday, commanding them to appear Friday morning before the grandjury. Service was obtained upon ten of the jurors. The deputy sheriffs have been unable to locate two of them.

The entire force of deputy sheriffs attached to the criminal division of the circuit court are detailed to bring these two jurors before the jury. The home of one of the jurors is being constantly watched.

The other juror is known to be in Illinois on business and his return is anticipated some time Friday. The moment he returns a deputy sheriff will serve the summons on him and he will be conducted forthwith to the grandjury rooms.

It is known that the state's authorities were dissatisfied with the work of the jury. It has been said around the Four Courts that it is not impossible that the jury was tampered with.

Watching House for One Juror.

Circuit Attorney Folk will not discuss the case. The officials in the sheriff's office admit they have the summons and say they are using every power to get proper service.

It is also said some of the deputy sheriffs who served the special panel from which the jury which is to be investigated will also come in for an inquiry. Certain of the jurors in the Williams case are known to have indulged in conversations after being discharged, is is said, that warranted the investigation of the jury.

The deputy sheriffs who are to be investigated in connection with this special jury will also be investigated for their action in other cases. Several cases have been tried in the criminal courts recently in which the suspicion was strong that the jury had been submitted to undue influences.

Williams, Fingerlin and Seifort were tried last week on the charge of shooting Joseph Graham last August at Twenty-first street and Washington avenue. Circuit Attorney Folk obtained a special jury to try the case. Four of the jury stuck to the end for an acquittal. Eight were for conviction. A strong alibi was presented, but the majority of the jurors believed the testimony as presented by the state's witnesses.

Every day and Sundays, too,
Leaves Union Station at—8:32.

The ink of the Greeks and Romans was merely lampblack mingled with gum in the proportion of three parts of the former to one of the latter.

Like a Run on the Bank

Is the Great Sale of Suits and Overcoats. Globe, 7th and Franklin av. See page 5.

YOUNG ROOSEVELT IS DEMOCRATIC

AT SCHOOL AT GROTON HE IS LIKE OTHER LADS.

NO FAVORS SHOWN TO HIM

He Eats, Sleeps, Plays and Studies Under Same Rules as His Companions in School.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GROTON, Mass., Jan. 17.—Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., the 14-year-old son of the President of the United States, is a typical schoolboy, with a fair share of the failings as well as many of the virtues which go to make the American youth the worry and pride of his elders.

It would be a revelation to many of our European cousins, with their theories of the divine rights of rulers, to see "Young Teddy," as he is known to his schoolboy friends, jostled, thrown down in the middle of a melee, or ordered around by one of the seniors, in accordance with the old school traditions. For Teddy is just an ordinary, every-day sort of a boy, who gets no more consideration from the masters or his chums than his fellows. Neither would he accept it, for, democratic to the core, he sums up the whole situation in the remark, "Of course I am glad my father is President, but I don't see why I should be bothered about it."

The Groton School, which Theodore, Jr., attends, is an Episcopal institution, under the charge of the Rev. Dr. Endicott Peabody, who is assisted by the Rev. Sherrard Billings, William Armory Gardner and 15 instructors. It is ideally located on a high plateau, about a mile and a half from Groton. The buildings comprise the old Brooks house, which is now used as a dormitory for the upper form boys, a new dormitory for the younger boys, in which are also the dining rooms and kitchen and a schoolhouse.

Ample as are the accommodations, it is not easy to gain admission to the Groton School, no matter how high the social rank or financial standing of the applicant's parents. The number of pupils accepted is limited, and there is always a long waiting list. It is now a common custom to enter a boy's name at the time of his birth or when he is very young. Theodore, Jr.'s, name was on the waiting list for 10 years previous to his admission, in the fall of 1900.

There are at present 162 boys at the school, the largest number in its history. Their ages range from 11 to 16 years, and the course of instruction is designed to prepare its students for admission to Harvard, Yale, Princeton and other institutions.

Bright and early every morning, when the big bell strikes 6:30, young Roosevelt turns out of bed and begins a daily routine, which leaves hardly a moment that is not occupied. This is the school schedule:

Breakfast, 7.
Studies until chapel, at 8:25.
Studies or recites:
First period, 8:40 to 9:30.
Second period, 9:30 to 10:20.
Third period, 10:20 to 11:10.
Fourth period, 11:10 to 12.
Dinner, 12.
Recess until 2:15.
Studies or recites:
First afternoon period, 2:15 to 3.
Second afternoon period, 3 to 3:45.
Play—Sports or gymnasium, 4 to 5:30.
Supper, 6.
Leisure, 6:30 to 7.
Evening class study, 7 to 8:30.
Bed, 9:30.
Lights out, 9:45.

While not a brilliant scholar, Teddy is a good student and ranks well in his classes. He has a special aptitude for general mathematics and mental arithmetic, which are his favorite studies. His course, which will keep him in school four more years, is designed to prepare him for Harvard, and, his friends say, the desire to make a good showing at the Cambridge University is his strongest incentive to hard work.

In disposition he is inclined to be hasty and impetuous, but he is generous to a fault and quick to acknowledge when he is in the wrong. Like his father, he is subject to strong impulses and is an ardent upholder of what he believes to be right. His sympathy is quick to go out to any one whom he imagines to be oppressed.

Although devoting many hours each day to study, Teddy is not allowed to neglect his physical development. "Cultivate a healthy mind in a healthy body," is a favorite piece of advice of President Roosevelt, and it takes no urging on the part of the authorities at the Groton School to induce Teddy to look after this part of his education. Football has been his favorite game since he came to Groton, and during the season any one wanting to find Teddy at any leisure moment during the day had only to look on the playground, west of the large dormitory, where the lower form football grounds are located, to find him, with his chums, punting, passing and practicing drop kicks. Like his father, Teddy wears glasses, but unlike the President, who when on a hunting trip is generally obliged to carry several pairs with him for use in case of emergency, Teddy can see as well without his glasses, and when engaged in rough sport of any kind always takes them off.

Coming from sturdy stock, it is not to be wondered at that Teddy loves the old-fashioned New England winter, with plenty of snow and ice. Every day since the recent cold snap set in he has been skating on the river which runs close to the college grounds. His facility on his skates has made him a valuable member of the class hockey team, and he takes prominent place in all the contests between his class and others in the lower forms. Coasting, too, is a favorite amusement just now, since the snow has spoiled the skating, and a stranger, meeting the romping group of boys coasting down "Joy Hill," or throwing snowballs at each other as they pull their sleds back up the hill, would find it difficult to pick out of the happy crowd the eldest son of the nation's chief executive.

Handball or "fives" is another game which Teddy enjoys and at which he has become proficient. A large covered court has recently been built on the playgrounds. Matches are frequent and the rivalry is intense.

To the village people at Groton young Roosevelt is almost unknown, as indeed are all the boys of the Groton School.

FORMING A NEW ISLAND

Uncle Sam Soon Will Have a New Possession as One of the Hawaiian Group.

HONOLULU, Jan. 10, via San Francisco, Jan. 17.—A formation that is called a new island has been observed of late between Koko Head and Diamond Head, on the southern coast of this island. It is at the head of Niu stream, where debris has washed into the sea until the deposits have piled up to the surface. Tides running between separate the formation from the land, but palm trees and others washed down by the floods are taking root, and a small isle is forming.

THE DEADLY "INITIATION"

Victim of Lodge Pranks Closely Guarded Under Physicians' Care.

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 17.—Lying guarded in a lodge building of the Order of Washington, is an unknown candidate for initiation who was severely hurt during the ceremonies last night. He is watched by fellow members of the lodge to give his name, and are using all efforts to prevent it from becoming public.

Part of the initiation ceremonies is blindfolding the victim and drawing him around the room at top speed in a little cart. The initiation crew was unable to control the wagon, and the helpless victim was dumped over against the great high altar in the center of the room. His side was crushed in, and he was painfully hurt. Members of the lodge have kept him under treatment in the lodge room.

The Order of Washington is a new fraternal insurance organization. It has some women members, and news of the accident, it is said, leaked out through them.

TO CONSIDER METRIC SYSTEM.

Business Men Invited to Give Their Views to Coinage Committee.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Representative Southard of Ohio, chairman of the House committee on coinage, is about to send invitations to a number of the chief manufacturers, merchants and others engaged in mercantile pursuits to appear before the coinage committee on Feb. 6, concerning the bill for the adoption of the metric system of weights and measures.

Heretofore Congress has secured the views of scientific men on this subject, but Mr. Southard holds that such a change in the entire system of weights and measures is a practical question on which the large business interests should be heard. Among those to be invited are Vice-President W. M. McFarland of the Westinghouse Electric Co.; Supt. Vauclain of the Baldwin Locomotive Works; the electrical experts of several large concerns and the officers of a number of large woolen and textile industries.

LIKED MR. WESTHUS' LOOKS.

The President So Informed the New St. Louis Revenue Collector.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Benjamin Westhus, just nominated for internal revenue collector in St. Louis, was yesterday afternoon presented to the President.

President Roosevelt received the St. Louisan with a handshake and admitted that he was obliged, because of his stature, "to look up to him." The President, with the candor which marks his reception of all callers, declared: "Well, and I like your appearance, too." After the presentation the President expressed the hope that Mr. Westhus would have a successful administration of the office to which he was appointed. He said he wanted the affairs of the office conducted strictly on business principles, and so as to secure the highest efficiency in the public service. He expressed the hope that Mr. Westhus would keep this in view in the selection of his subordinates.

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Our most extraordinary sale, which began Monday, on certain lots of "Sorosis" Shoes, resulted in clearing out all we had of some styles and sizes.

We have left an excellent assortment in the smaller sizes and the narrower widths—shoes peculiarly adapted to persons having slender feet.

These shoes may be a trifle shelf-worn or show slight marks of handling, but they have the "Sorosis" standard excellence in make and durability. We can fit nearly any foot in Tan Boot or Oxford, and these can be most successfully dyed black if desired.

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Leaders in low prices on fine goods.

Saturday Night Jan. 18th.

The Ending of an Unequaled Reduction Sale.

It will pay you almost double the investment— to come to us Saturday for Suit or Overcoat. Let us assure you that a store full of integrity and good clothes is a good store to hitch to—

Let us advise that you take an interesting stroll up Olive Street to our store—it pays.

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Look in our windows, where you will see the best

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Suits and Overcoats and in Sailor, Russian Blouse, Norfolk and Vest Suits for the little fellows.

Browning, King & Co.

DEATHS.

CLANCY—James Clancy, beloved father of Thomas and Irene Clancy, on Friday, Jan. 17, at St. Mary's Hospital.

Funeral from Charles F. Bergesch's undertaking rooms, 1022 North Sixth street, Sunday at 2 p. m. to St. Patrick's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

GRAY—On Thursday, Jan. 16, at 3:40 a. m., Charles P. Gray, dearly beloved husband of Nora Gray (nee Dempsey), and father of Jessie Gray, aged 35 years 6 months and 6 days.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 a. m. from residence, 3619 Barton avenue, to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

Deceased was a member of United Tent, No. 73, K. O. T. M.

MOORE—Thursday, Jan. 16, at 6 a. m., Ann Moore, beloved wife of the late John Moore.

Funeral from family residence, 3739 Cook avenue, Saturday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 a. m. to St. Alphonsus' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

NOYES—On Friday, Jan. 17, at 3 a. m., at her residence, 4132 Newstead avenue, Mary Jane Noyes, beloved mother of Adele Fay, aged 66 years.

Interment at Pittsfield, Ill.

OHLIGER—On Tuesday, Jan. 14, at 12:40 p. m., Christian Ohliger, relict of the late Kate Ohliger (nee Howard), and dear father of John and Christ Ohliger, after a brief illness, at the age of 46 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, Jan. 18, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., from family residence, 823 Wright street, to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

LANDRIGAN—On Thursday, Jan. 16, 1902, at 5:30 p. m., Nelle C. Landrigan, dearly beloved daughter of Bridget and the late David P. Landrigan.

Funeral Saturday, Jan. 18, at 8:30 a. m. from residence, 3318 Lawton avenue, to St. Xavier's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Interment private.

GALLAGHER—On Thursday, Jan. 16, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m., John Gallagher, beloved son of Thomas M. and Hannah Gallagher (nee Heban), brother of James, Thomas, Nellie and Anastatia Gallagher, aged 25 years 5 months and 26 days.

The funeral will take place Saturday, 18th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., from family residence, 2331 Mullanphy street, to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

STRITZL—Rosa M. Stritzl (nee Trautman), on Thursday evening, at 9:50 p. m., relict of the late George J. Stritzl, and beloved mother of George A., Rose V. and Nettie M. Stritzl, aged 64 years.

Funeral will take place on Saturday, Jan. 18, 1902, at 1:30 p. m., from residence, 3131 Thomas street, to St. Nicholas' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Ste. Genevieve (Mo.) papers please copy.

A GENUINE EXPANSION SALE

Our system of selling Men's and Women's "Clothing on Credit" has been vindicated by results. Our two floors are not enough for our business. We have leased the third. We now offer everything at cost, before calling in the carpenters. This is the time to get bargains, to open an account.

"NO MONEY DOWN—A LITTLE A WEEK."

J. P. GATELY, 310 NORTH BROADWAY.

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SHALL NEW ST. LOUIS RECEIVE HER WATER SUPPLY FROM THIS SPRING?

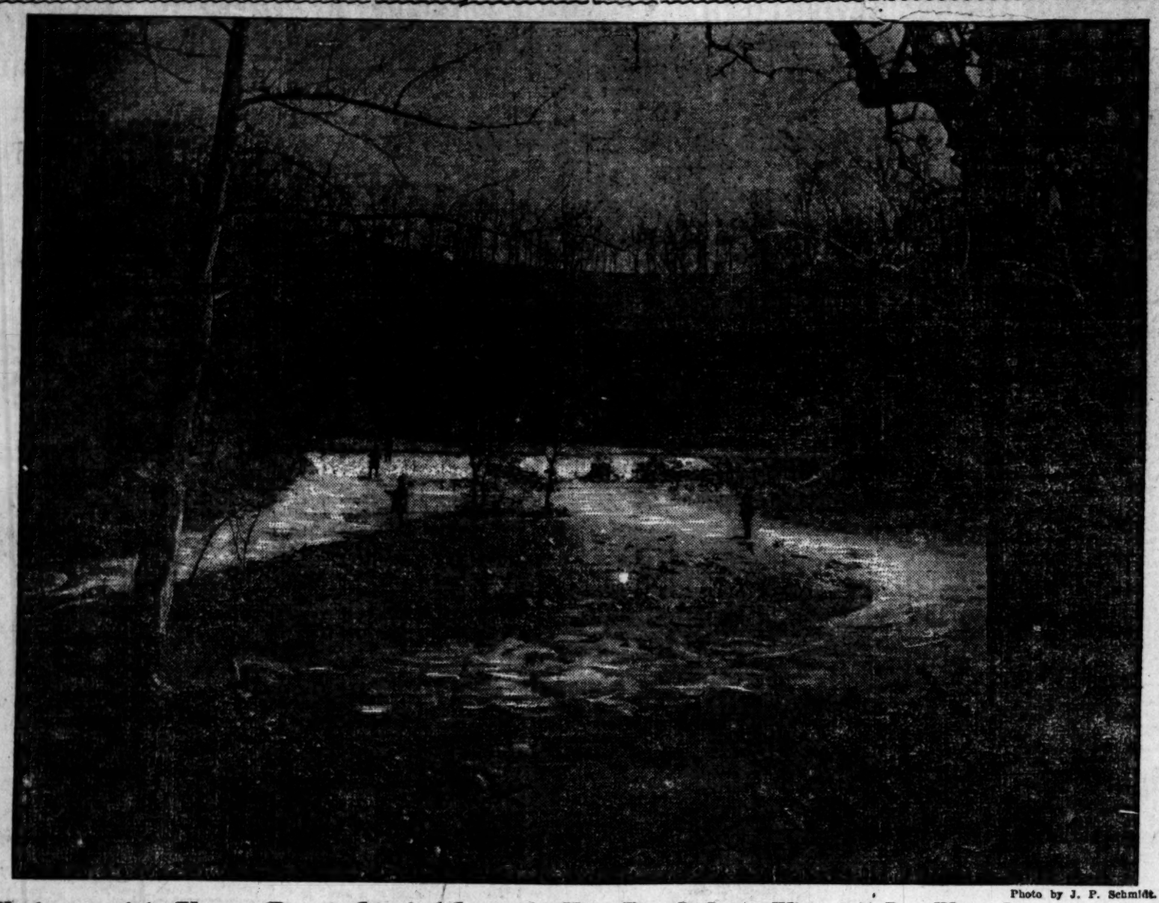


Photo by J. P. Schmidt.

Headwaters of the Meramec River in Crawford County, 90 Miles From St. Louis, Whence the Pure Water Commission Proposes to Pump Water to the World's Fair City.

The drive over the mountains from St. James, the nearest railroad station, consumes an hour and a half. The spring is a peculiarly beautiful spot. It gushes, cool and crystal clear, like Minerva, full born, from the foot of a precipitous bluff, whose tree covered sides tower full 200 feeet. The valley, wherein the spring flows, is only 200 yards wide. The pool made by the sparkling waters is 200 feet wide. At the upper end, in the perpetual shadow of a beetling ledge of rock, bubbles and eddies and roars this torrrent from the underground river, of which, in the opinion of scientific men, the spring is the outlet.

The natural impetus of the water, springing from its hidden source, is sufficient to force the water six inches above the surface of the pool. From the spring the water flows in rapid current over a ledge of rock 100 yards below. The rapids formed by the ledge are fierce in the foamy impetuosity of the current. Reaching a smooth bottom after passing the rocky ledge the water flows on to where it joins another tributary a half mile below and there forms the Meramec river proper. Just below the junction a mill race cuts off a part of the stream.

For 15 miles, extending from the spring to a point below Steelville, the river valley is narrow. A dam placed at the lower end of the valley would form a lake a mile wide, 15 miles long and very deep. It is estimated that at its maximum the flow from the spring amounts to 150,000,000 gallons a day. Estimates show that during the dry summer months the flow from the spring is more than 85,000,000 daily. The water is sweet to taste but is not always clear. After heavy rains the spring becomes cloudy, but soon clears.

WHAT "BOB" BURDETTE, HUMORIST, SAID TO ONE WOMAN

He Pricks French Wit and Tells of the Joy He Finds in German Comic Papers.

BY ROSE MARION.

"American humor is the best in the world today, and the newspapers have made it what it is. Its advance in the last 25 years has been great."

So said Robert J. Burdette to me Wednesday evening in Belleville, where he amused a crowd later. I went to see him earlier in the day at his hotel in St. Louis, only to find that he had departed for Belleville. To Belleville I went as fast as the trolley car could carry me. I got there a half hour before Mr. Burdette did, and because of my perseverance he talked to me before he ate his dinner. He told funny stories and laughed much as he talked. I wondered what sort of a man he must be after dinner.

"Twenty-five years ago our humor was of the brutal type," he said. "We wrote jokes about the persons who died from the effects of lighting fire with kerosene and those who looked down the barrels of loaded guns. Today things do not have to have a flavor of the cemetery to be amusing.

"I contend that humor is a matter of cultivation, however. A child cries naturally, but it learns to laugh. You could tell the funniest of funny stories to a blanket Indian and his features would not relax into even the faintest grin. But allow him to torture anybody and he will laugh much. A boy's appreciation of humor is on the same order. He enjoys sticking other persons with pins and is much amused when banana skins bring his elders to the earth.

ON FALLING DOWN STAIRS.

"Even we of larger growth laugh at persons when they fall downstairs. We are not glad because they fall down. But we are glad that, since they must fall, we were present when the event occurred.

"It takes education to see the finer points of humor. The funniest persons in the world, however, are those without humor. Yet I fancy there is a latent sense of humor in every man that only requires development to bring it out.

"Then you think a person may become a humorist by education?" I queried.

"Yes, I do," he replied.

"How about yourself, Mr. Burdette? Didn't you always say funny things?"

"Yes; even as a boy. My compositions were always humorous. When it came time for me to graduate they told me I must write something serious. I hunted around for a subject for a month or so, and finally settled upon 'The Press and the Ballot Box'—the two things that I knew least about of all others.

"I had never seen a printing press and I had never poked my fingers into a ballot box. I wish I could see that essay now."

Mr. Burdette said the last sentence in a reminiscent way that made me wish I had seen him when he read that essay. I wondered where the smile that has a way of running all over his face went to when he read those sober thoughts.

A DUTIFUL WIFE.

But when you're interviewing a man that hasn't had his dinner you musn't take time to wish, especially if his wife is present.

Mrs. Burdette was there, and she is her husband's business manager. She is a bright little woman, who sees that her husband gets his meals on time, who keeps his from missing trains, and who laughs at his jokes.

When I asked Mr. Burdette whom he considered the greatest American humorist he replied instantly, "Mark Twain." But "the business manager" objected. "The greatest American humorist is Mr. Burdette," she said.

"When a man can be before the public 26 years and then command the audiences my husband does today I think his success is great."

"How do you compare French with American humor, Mr. Burdette?" I asked.

Goodness! He thinks the French humor is only wit, and stinging wit at that.

"For my own choice I like the humor of the German. The Englishman has none, so we needn't talk about him," he continued.

"Do you like the jokes in the Fliegunde Blatter, Mr. Burdette?" I asked this in the half-smiling way that is a whole lot.

Personally, I hate the things in that paper, but I looked pleased when Mr. Burdette informed me that they gave him much amusement. He said that he liked Heine and quoted lines from one of his poems.

"The French are quick and they say things well, but there is always a sting that hurts the geniality of their humor. We Americans are their superiors in that respect and much of our improvement is due to the newspapers.

"Today the humorous sayings are not packed into one column from which there is no escape. Instead they are scattered throughout the paper. When a man thinks a humorous thought he writes it whether it be in editorial, head or advertisement."

HIS GRIEVANCE.

Mr. Burdette told me of his grievance. And a humorist's manner of telling of a grievance is so different from that of ordinary persons that you must know the story. He did not scowl nor frown, neither did he talk in an aggrieved tone, but between laughs and chuckles told about the article upon humor lately published in the "Century."

"I am not mentioned in that article, not even as a 'has been,' or an 'also ran.' I wouldn't mind that so much if they hadn't slighted my paper so completely. It is not named either."

Then the "business manager" said some things concerning George Ade's Fables and the writings of Peter Finley Dunne, both of which are mentioned in the Century article. And shortly thereafter she said Mr. Burdette must stop talking in order to prepare for his public discourse, and I went out of the presence of the humorist, whose sympathy for mankind even in jokes seems to prove that "those who talk lightest feel deepest."



"I'LL MEET YOU IN 'FIDDLER'S' GREEN"

L. M. JOHNSON WROTE THIS, THEN ENDED HIS LIFE.

STRONG DRINK THE CAUSE

"When You Think You've Got a Front You Haven't, So Good-By, Tom."

Tom Trout received a powerful temperance lecture in a note left by his chum, Louis M. Johnson, aged 32, who committed suicide. In a notebook found in Joonson's pocket after his death from morphine Thursday afternoon at 1513 South Ninth street was a penciled message to Tom Trout, part of which reads:

Friend Tom Trout:

I am all in. Quit drinking or you will be with me. The best you get of it is the worst of it, anyway. I have been 20 years in the business. When you think you have a "front" you have not, so good-by, Tom. * * * Tell Olie that I love her better than my life. * * * I will meet you down in Fiddler's Green.

Johnson was a shoe cutter recently from Keokuk, Io. He lived at 1237 South Sixth street, and was unmarried.

Wednesday night he called at the home of George Hartman, at 1013 South Ninth street, where Tom Trout lived, to see his chum. He had been drinking heavily, and Hartman put him to bed. Thursday morning Johnson said that he did not care to get up. He lay abed until afternoon, when he took the morphine. Hartman found him dying.

It is said that "Olie," to whom Johnson referred in his message, lives in St. Louis. Tom Trout refuses to reveal her identity. In the note Johnson wrote:

"Tell Olie to come to see me. Don't get her name mixed up with this. You get it first and tear it up, except first page."

Johnson's body was sent to the morgue.

ONE MOLINEUX EXPENSE.

Jury Has Awarded $6639 to the Chemist for Analysis.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A jury in the Supreme Court has rendered a verdict for $6639 in favor of Prof. Rudolph Witthaus, who had sued the city to recover $6639 for services rendered by him in making a chemical analysis on portions of the remains of Henry Barnett, whose death figured in the indictment and trial of Roland B. Molineux. The verdict rendered included $639.60 interest on the amount sued for.

CLEW TO IMMENSE ESTATE HIS QUEST

TENNESSEE WOMAN MAY OWN LARGE PART OF EAST ST. LOUIS.

SENDS SON TO INVESTIGATE

Is Trying to Prove Herself Niece of James McClintock, Whose Property Is Worth $13,500,000.

John D. Kimmons of Pleasant Grove, Bedford County, Tenn., arrived in Belleville Thursday to make an investigation of the records in the office of County Clerk Thomas in the hope of establishing that his mother, Mrs. Isabella Kimmons, nee McClintock, who lives in Bedford County, is the niece of James McClintock.

James McClintock is the man who is claimed to have left an estate in East St. Louis worth $13,500,000. It is claimed that McClintock formerly owned the entire site of East St. Louis, and that he was entrapped into deeding away a large portion of his estate.

For 14 years persons claiming to be heirs of McClintock have been trying to establish their right to share in his estate.

It is claimed that a year ago a court decision gave the title of the property to 13 heirs, in the absence of important documents, which were destroyed in a steamboat explosion. It is now asserted that duplicates of these papers have been discovered.

Mrs. Isabella Kimmons, who is 70 years old, is a daughter of Robert McClintock. He had a brother James, who is believed by Mrs. Kimmons to have been the East St. Louis McClintock.

Mr. Kimmons knows little about the estate of James McClintock. He is only interested in ascertaining whether the James McClintock who owned property in East St. Louis was the uncle of Mrs. Kimmons. If he finds that this is the case there will be another claimant to the estate of James McClintock.

Courthouse officials in Belleville do not believe that any records are likely to be on file which would be of any assistance to Kimmons.



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NO CLEW YET TO THE ROBBERY

Detectives Still at Work on Stockyards Bank Case.

WHERE THEY WERE FIRST DAY

DISCHARGE OF HUGHES THROWS NO LIGHT.

Officials Admit That the Stories of Watchmen Philpot and Eastep Are About All They Have to Work On.

Officials working upon the National Stockyards Bank robbery admit that the discharge of Isaac N. Hughes, charged with being one of the robbers, by Justice Putnam of East St. Louis Thursday leaves them with no more light on the mystery than they had the day after the robbery was committed.

Hughes was discharged without prejudice without having to offer any testimony in his own behalf. Assistant State's Attorney McMurdo, after hearing the testimony of Watchmen Philpot and Eastep, asked permission of the court to dismiss the proceedings, saying that there seemed to be no one able to identify Hughes as one of the robbers.

Charles T. Jones, general manager of the stockyards and vice-president of the bank, said Friday morning:

"Well, Hughes is discharged, but we're still working. Detectives are on the case."

Men from Furlong's detective agency have been at work at the stockyards and in East St. Louis ever since the robbery and have discovered several clews which have as yet produced nothing.

The thrilling stories told by Philpot and Eastep are all they have to work on now, it is said. These stories were retold on the witness stand in Justice Putnam's court Thursday, but Eastep, who was expected to swear positively who one of the robbers was, thus connecting Hughes with the affair, said on the stand that he could not. He denied that he had ever said that he would swear positively to the identification of one of the men.

All Philpot would say was that Hughes fitted the description of the heaviest of the robbers as to figure and voice. He would not say Hughes was the robber.

SENT WIRELESS LOVE MESSAGE

Policeman Let Elkovitch Go Free When He Found Signs Were to His Sick Wife.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—Gesticulating wildly and with his eyes riveted on a window on the sixth floor of the Woman's Hospital, a Russian who said his name was Alexander Elkovitch yesterday attracted notice on the street.

For nearly a half hour the man stood on the opposite side of the street and enacted a pantomime before the hospital. First he threw affectionate kisses toward the window and then he folded his arms and swayed from side to side. He repeated the performance, indifferent to the puzzled crowd.

Someone told a policeman that he was a lunatic, and Elkovitch looked up in terror when a big man in blue tapped him on the arm.

The Russian pointed to a window in the hospital where a woman stood waving her hand. The policeman shook his head and started to walk his man to the nearest call box. At this a nurse emerged from the hospital and ran toward the policeman.

"There isn't anything the matter with that man," she said, breathlessly. "His wife is a patient." The prisoner looked gratefully at the nurse.

"His wife has been suffering from fever for many weeks, and she left her bed for the first time today. Her husband has called every day to ask how she is. Owing to the smallpox scare, no visitors have been admitted to the wards, so that he has not seen his wife. Today she was able to go to the window for the first time, and when her husband saw her he was unable to restrain his joy. Won't you let him go?"

The policeman said "certainly," and looked sympathetically at Elkovitch, whose face beamed with gratitude. With a profound bow to his benefactress he hurried away from the crowd.

RYAN WILL NOT PROSECUTE

Case Against Michael Kinney, Charged With Assault With Intent to Kill, Dismissed.

John J., "Baldy," Ryan, refused in the Court of Criminal Correction Friday morning to prosecute Michael Kinney, charged with assault with intent to kill.

The case against Kinney was then nolle prossed.

Kinney was charged with shooting Ryan while he was standing in front of a saloon opposite the Four Courts four weeks ago. Kinney and Ryan belonged to different political factions and the shooting was said to have grown out of this.

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ENDED HIS LIFE IN A GRAVEYARD

Bobring Hanged Himself On Tree Father Planted.

HAD BEEN SICK SEVEN DAYS

WAS TO HAVE BEEN MARRIED IN FEBRUARY, IT IS SAID.

Parents Declare There Was no Opposition to the Match—Body Found by Little Girl on Her Way to School.

Little Katie Walker, on her way to school Thursday morning, took the short cut through Segurson's private burying ground in Bobring Hill, just over the county line. As she passed near a big tree in the cemetery she saw something that made her heart stop beating and then sent her flying home, white and panting. What she had seen was the body of a man swinging and swaying at the end of a rope from the limb of a tree.

Joseph Walker and George White went to the cemetery and found the body of Frank William Bobring, son of J. H. Bobring, postmaster of Bobring Hill, in St. Louis County, who left his home the night before without the knowledge of his family.

Squire Moetter of Bobring Hill was summoned and held an inquest on the body of the young man. The jury returned a verdict of "suicide committed while in delirium."

Frank W. Bobring had been ill for more than a week with a heavy cold that developed symptoms of pneumonia. Wednesday of last week he told his father, whom he assisted in the store and postoffice at Bobring Hill, that he was going to St. Louis to see a young lady to whom he was engaged. His father was agreeable. That evening the young man called on Miss Celestine Kleft of 1724 South Seventh street, to whom he was engaged to be married in February. There he suffered a relapse and became so ill that he was not permitted to leave the house until the following Monday.

Thought He Heard Music in House.

When he reached home he was so much worse that his family became much alarmed. Wednesday night he became delirious and had a delusion that he heard harps and other musical instruments being played outside the house. He was sent to bed with his brother Otto, who was told to watch over him during the night. About 4 o'clock in the morning he woke his brother up and told him someone was breaking into the store. He was soothed and apparently went to sleep. Shortly after this, when his brother had again fallen to sleep, he arose and dressed in some of his brother's clothes and left the house, to do which, he had to break a door open. He then went through the yard to the stable, climbed to the hayloft and secured a rope. With this he made his way to a cemetery. There he disposed of his coat and vest in the cleft of one limb of a big tree planted by his father in 1853, tied the rope around another limb, fastened the other end around his throat and jumped. He probably died of strangulation at once, as the body showed no evidences of a struggle.

The tree was one which his father had planted 48 years ago.

No Objection to His Engagement.

It was at first surmised that he had thus killed himself as the result of disappointment in his affair of the heart. It has, however, proved otherwise. There was no objection to his engagement to Miss Kleft on the part of his parents, who looked forward to the match in February. Dr. Will testified at the inquest that Frank Bobring was the victim of suicidal mania while suffering from delirium induced by fever caused by incipient pneumonia.

Bobring's funeral will take place Friday afternoon to Segurson's Cemetery from the family residence. The funeral service will be conducted by Rev. Bode of the German Lutheran Evangelical Church.

FAIR POWER CONTRACT IS LET

Westinghouse and Citizens Companies Will Supply Lighting and Motor Forces for Exposition.

The Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co. of Pittsburg has been awarded the contract for furnishing one-half of the power for the World's Fair from a plant on the site.

The other half will be furnished by the Citizens' Electric Light and Power Co. of St. Louis from its plant in the city.

The Westinghouse company will build a $1,000,000 plant with over 12,000 horsepower, costing about $1,000,000. It will receive $390,000 for its service. It will own all the machinery after the Fair.

The Citizens' company will be paid $450,000 for its service

The Westinghouse plant will be installed in Machinery Hall. The boilers will be in a separate structure, which will be built in a secluded place.

The company will have from Dec. 1, 1902, until March 1, 1903, to install its plant, which, upon its completion, will be the largest exhibit of its kind ever built at an exposition.

The Fair will be lighted by 400,000 incandescent and 2000 arc lamps, and Supt. Rustin of the electrical department is arranging the illumination scheme.

POPE'S ILLNESS DISCREDITED

All Christendom Will Be Notified When the Pontiff's End Draws Near.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The rumors that the Pope is dangerously ill are discredited here. The apostolic delegation has not been advised. News that he is dying will be sent throughout Christendom in time to permit the prayers of the faithful for his happy death.

When the Pope's physicians recognize the signs of dissolution Cardinal Martinelli will be notified. No matter when this is received, he will notify the nearest Catholic church immediately and the bell will begin a dirge which will continue until the Pope's demise.

Change of Time, Wabash Line.

Decatur Accommodation Train, No. 50, which nows leaves Union Station at 4:55 p. m., will, on and after Sunday, Jan. 19, 1902, leave at 4:40 p. m. daily.

TRANSIT EMPLOYES MUST BE DISARMED

—JUDGE ZIMMERMAN.

MAGISTRATE FINED CONDUCTOR AFTER THIS EDICT.

CARRIED CONCEALED WEAPON

George Duke, Principal in a General Quarrel at the Broadway Sheds.

"This practice of transit company employes carrying deadly weapons must stop. I fine the defendant $25 and cost, and no application for clemency will be considered," said Judge Zimmerman.

George Duke of 4018 South Broadway, a transit conductor, was arraigned in the Wyoming street police court Friday and fined $25 on a charge of carrying a revolver after he had previously been fined $10 for disturbing the peace.

The testimony for clemency will be concase caused Judge Zimmerman to have Attorney Burgess issue a summons, charging carrying concealed weapons, against Duke, and he was arraigned and fined on this charge before he had paid the fine assessed for the first offense.

Charges of peace disturbance were made against Duke, Samuel J. Miller, a transit motorman; Charles Peterson of 3910 Iowa avenue and his brother, William Peterson, whose home is in Hamilton Ill.

Testimony showed that the Peterson brothers quarreled with Duke, after they left his car at the Broadway sheds, Broadway and Osage street, early Friday morning.

Duke claimed that Charles Peterson hit him with a clod and drew a knife. Peterson said that Duke showed a revolver and made him put his knife back in his pocket. After this the Petersons started home.

At this juncture Charles Peterson missed his watch and went back to the transit sheds to notify the shed foreman.

After he had made complaint and started home, he says, George Duke followed him across the street and struck him. Whereupon Charles Peterson drew his knife and in the scuffle Duke was slightly stabbed. Duke, the two Petersons and Miller, who declares he was a peacemaker, were all arrested.

On the charge of disturbing the peace Duke was fined $10, Charles Peterson $10, Miller and William Peterson were each fined $5.

Then Duke, arraigned on the summons issued, forthwith was fined $25.

CAPITALIST FALLS INTO CELLAR

"John Thompson" of West Pine Boulevard Objects to City Hospital Jeans Uniform and Compulsory Bath.

Policeman Robertson of the Central District heard a man crying loudly for help at 4 o'clock Friday morning at Olive street and Broadway. He searched for some minutes without discovering the owner of the voice, which seemed to come from under the sidewalk. With the aid of another policeman, whom he summoned to his assistance, the voice was traced to the cellar of the new Bank of Commerce building, in which a man was lying among the debris, groaning. The policemen with difficulty got him up a ladder to the sidewalk and had him conveyed to the City Hospital in an ambulance.

At the hospital the man gave his name as John Thompson, capitalist, of 3808 West Pine boulevard. Persons living at that address declared they did not know Mr. Thompson. He was fashionably dressed and fought vigorously against being stripped and placed in the bath tub and scrubbed off like an ordinary patient, protesting that, as he had tubbed once that day another bath was not necessary. When he was arrayed in the usual uniform worn by the patients, which consists of a blue cotton shirt, a pair of brown jeans trousers and carpet slippers, he declared it an outrage and demanded that the attendants call his carriage and have him conveyed to his home on the boulevard.

Upon examination the doctors discovered that he had fractured his shoulder blade when he fell.

When asked how he had fallen into the cellar of the Bank of Commerce building he said:

"That is one of the mysteries of my life. I was playing poker at a downtown hotel last night and left to go to Olive street to get a carriage. The next thing I knew I fell stories down a shaft and began to call for help. I am well known in St. Louis. Why, I have sold as much as $2,000,000 worth of goods here every year for a good many years."

Mr. Thompson was permitted to leave the hospital as soon as his injuries had received attention. He gave his business address as 819 Washington avenue, where, however, no one claimed his acquaintance.

EDUCATION IN NEW ST. LOUIS

Chancellor Chaplin and Rabbi Harrison Speak for Higher Culture.

At a meeting of the Paint, Oil and Drug Club, Thursday night, Chancellor W. S. Chaplin of Washington University, and Rabbi Leon Harrison made addresses on higher education and civic duties.

Rabbi Harrison congratulated St. Louis upon having an able non-partisan school board and a great university. He also expressed gratification that by reason of the recent change in the political sentiment of the city, a capable, honest and cultured man has been elected mayor.

Chancellor Chaplin reviewed the history of Washington University. He said that the new buildings would not be used by the institution until after the World's Fair.

The First Step of Economy.

Those Suits and Overcoats in the Great Clearing Sale. Globe, 7th and Franklin av. See page 5.

ENGINEER J. F. WARD DEAD.

He Was One of the Best Known Men in His Profession.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—John F. Ward is dead at his home in this city. He had been ill for three weeks with septic pneumonia. Mr. Ward had been a civil and mechanical engineer for more than forty years, having taken contracts in all parts of the United States. He was overseer of the incline plane machinery employed on the Morris canal, New Jersey, and on the Shubenia canal, in Nova Scotia. He was a superintendent of the Warren foundry, at Philippsburg, N. J. He was the chief engineer and the superintendent of the Jersey City waterworks and the Hackensack waterworks. He was employed as the consulting engineer on the Providence waterworks.

He served for several years on the Croton Aqueduct department, having worked in the reservoir and the laying of the pipe system. One of his last assignments was that of chief engineer of South Gila canal in Arizona, in 1894. He had lived in retirement since that year. For many years he had been a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, serving as director from 1867 to 1871.

He was an inventor as well as a practical engineer. John F. Ward's flexible joint for castiron pipes laid across irregular beds of streams is a standard article in submarine pipe laying. By means of this invention a depth of 40 feet and a length of 4000 feet with a 16-inch pipe have been attained.

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BOER CAUSE FROM A BOER STANDPOINT

CAPT. JAN KRIGE, BOER OFFICER, TALKS OF WAR.

SAYS ENGLAND MUST YIELD

He Thinks United States Government Is Straining International Comity by Selling Mules.

Capt. Jan Krige, an officer in the Boer army, will address a meeting at Concordia Turner Hall, Thirteenth and Arsenal streets, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Capt. Krige is an escaped prisoner of war. He has seen service under Botha and De Wet.

On May 30 of last year, in an engagement between French and Botha on Klip river, Capt. Krige was made prisoner, and sent to Johannesburg, whence he escaped. After his escape he joined Botha again and remained with him about four months.

At the end of this time he was sent on a diplomatic mission to Lorenzo Marques. The Portuguese officials of that city refused to allow him back to the Transvaal and held him and several others of his countrymen prisoners. The others were deported to Lisbon, where they are yet held by the Portuguese government.

Capt. Krige finally boarded a German ship at Lorenzo Marques which was bound for New York, and arrived safely in this country. Being a practical farmer, he immediately went to California, Oregon and Washington with the intention of studying American farming methods for future use in his native land.

Citizens of the United States, at various points, have asked Capt. Krige to make a statement of the Boer case from a Boer standpoint and he is now in this city for that purpose. His topic on Thursday evening will be the "Causes, the Conduct and the Probable Outcome of the War." He will explain his contention that the Boers will never be beaten.

According to the captain's statement, the military forces of the Boers number between 15,000 and 20,000 men, against which there is opposed a British army of 250,000 men.

The captain says it is not now a question of what terms the English will offer, but what the Boers will accept.

According to Capt. Krige, the English soldiers in South Africa are sick and tired of the war, as they cannot capture the Boer leaders and detest the work of the concentration camps, where only women and children are detained.

Gens. French and Buller are the only English commanders whom the Boers respect, as they have proved themselves soldiers and gentlemen. Kitchener they speak of as the butcher.

Talking of supplies, Capt. Krige states that the Boers get all they need in horses, arms and ammunition from the English.

In alluding to the shipments of mules and horses from the United States to Cape Town the captain thinks the United States government is straining international comity and giving considerable assistance to the enemy of a friendly republic. He claims this country should be strictly neutral.

4000 MILLIONAIRES 4000

New York World Almanac for 1902 Gives Names of St. Louis' Rich Men.

The New York World Almanac for 1902 gives a list of nearly 4000 Americans worth $1,000,000 and over—many of them very much over.

This list of nearly 4000 millionaires presents an opportunity to study the distribution of wealth in the United States in a more concise way than has yet been offered.

The rich men credited to St. Louis are given below:

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Allen, Geo. L., pres. iron works.
Allen, Gerard B. B., estate.
Allen, Mrs. Thomas, estate.
Ames, Henry, capt.
Bacon, Williamson, pres. Tyler estate.
Bagnell, Wm., pres. timber co.
Bradford, Chas. H., estate.
Brookings, Robert S., mfr. woodenware.
Barr, William, dry goods.
Brown, Alanson D., shoe mfr.
Brown, Geo. D., shoe mfr.
Brown, Paul, capt.
Bridge, Hudson E., mfr.
Buck, Myron M., stove mfr.
Butler, Edward, capt.
Butler, James G., dir. trust co.
Busch, Adolphus, brewer.
Campbell, James, broker.
Capen, Geo. D., estate.
Carleton, Murray, capt.
Carpenter, James M., pres. ins. co.
Catlin, Daniel, capt.
Chapman, Gilbert, estate.
Chase, Thomas M., capt.
Chauvenet, Regis, chemist.
Chouteau, Chas. P., estate.
Chouteau, Pierre, capt.
Chipley, Lucien M., estate.
Clark, Cyrus E., mfr. leather.
Clark, Chas. C., whole. grocer.
Coller, Peter, estate.
Crawford, Hugh A., mfr. furnaces.
Culver, Henry H., estate
Cummings, John K., realty.
Cupples, Samuel, woodenware co.
Davis, John T., capt.
Davis, Mrs. John T.
Davis, Dwight F., capt
Donaldson, Mrs. Wm. R., capt.
Drake, G. S., capt.
Drummond, Chas. R., realty.
Drummond Harrison I., realty.
Drummond, James T., realty.
Drummond, John N., capt.
Drummond, John N., Jr., brkr.
Edgar, Selwynx C., zinc co.
Field, David J., capt.
Fordyce, Sam W., pres. rr. co.
Fowler, Mrs. John,
Fuss, Paul A., mining co.
Francis, David R., brkr.
Forster, C. M., brewer.
Gehner, August, capt.
Graham, B. B., paper mfr.
Griswold, Wm. D., capt.
Haarstick, Henry C., dir. corp.
Haarstick, Wm. T., dir. corp.
Hargadine, W. A., capt.
Harrison, John W., iron co.
Hart, A. B., capt.
Hart, Oliver A., estate.
Huse, Wm., ice co.
Kaufman, John W., capt.
Kehlor, J. B. M., flour mcht.
Kennard, Samuel M. capt.
Kerens, R. C., capt.
Kuhn, Francis, capt.
Lackland, R. J., banker.
Lawrence, Dr. J. J., capt.
Leathe, Samuel H., capt.
Leighton, Geo. H., estate.
Lemp, Wm. J., brewer.
Lionberger, Isaac H., capt.
Lucas, James H., estate.
McCormack, Samuel C., mfr.
McLure, Charles D., capt.
McKittrick, Hugh, dry goods.
Madill, Geo. A., pres. U. T. Co.
Maffitt, Julia, estate.
Mallinckrodt, Ed, chemist.
Mitchell, John J., pres. rr. co.
Moffitt, Mrs. Julia, capt.
Morrison, Mrs. J. L. D., estate.
Morton, I. W., hardware.
Murphy, Joseph, estate.
Myer, C. G. S., capt.
Myer, Geo. S., capt.
Nicolaus, Henry, brewer.
Neidringhaus, Fred G., dir. corp.
Neidringhaus, Wm. F., dir. corp.
Nolker, W. F., brewer.
Nugent, Daniel C., capt.
O'Neil, Peter A., capt.
Orthwein, C. C., estate.
Orthwein, W. D., grain.
Patterson, ——, estate.
Peper, C. tob. mfr.
Peck, Charles, estate.
Peugnet, Mrs. Virginia S., capt.
Pierce, Henry C., oil.
Robinson, D. B., estate.
Rumsey, L. M., Jr., mfr.
Rumsey, Mose, mfr.
Scanlan, Mrs. Mary F., capt.
Shaw, Henry, estate.
Sheehan, John, Jr., capt.
Simmons, E. C., h'dware.
Scullin, John, dir. corp.
Scudder, John A., capt.
Smith, David H., treas. R. R. Co.
Spencer, C. H., capt.
Steel, Robt. M., capt.
Stifel, Charles, estate.
Stilling, E. D., capt.
Taussig, Wm., capt.
Tebbetts, Louis B., mfr.
Thompson, W. H., banker.
Turner, Chas. H., dir. trust company.
Vining, Mrs. S. L.
Walker, D. D., dry goods.
Walsh, Julius S., capt.
Wells, Erastus, estate.
Wells, Rolla, Mayor St. Louis.
Wetmore, M. C., capt.
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BETRAYED BY A FELLOW THIEF

Manners Arrested at New Orleans as Thebaud's Valet, Kern.

ACCUSED BY A ST. LOUIS CROOK

HE HAD PLANNED TO BE ROBBED OF JEWLREY HE STOLE.

When the Police Forced Him to Face Alleged Robbers One of Them Declared Him Man Wanted in New York.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—George Kline of St. Louis is the supposed thief who betrayed his alleged pal, Kern. By this betrayal the man who claims to be Theodore E. Manners of Chicago and who is held in the Gretna prison as Edward Kern, the valet who robbed Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Thebaud of New York of jewelry valued at $67,000, was captured.

After Manners' complaint of the robbery of his room in the St. Charles Hotel and the apprehension of the thieves in Gertna, he was asked to go there and see if he could recognize either of them.

The prisoners had given their names as George I. Kline and Robert L. West. It was late and the two robbers were about to be transferred to New Orleans. Suddenly Kline spoke:

"Take him, Mr. Sheriff," he exclaimed, pointing to Manners, "and you'll be $8000 richer. He is Kern. I knew him. The New York police want him for the biggest kind of a steal."

"It's a lie," cried Manners.

"You're under arrest, nevertheless," said the sheriff.

"I knew Kern in Philadelphia eight years ago," said Kline. "I saw him at the race track several days ago and not only remembered him, as Kern, but recognized him by a picture I had seen in connection with the Thebaud robbery. He is Kern just as sure as I am alive."

Kline declares that Manners, or Kern, showed him considerable jewelry and told him he was hard up for ready money. He asked Kline and West, the former declares, to rob his room at the hotel while he was at the theater, and said he would make the hotel pay big damages.

The jewelry found in Manners' satchel included numbers of scarfpins, one of them a dull red crown set with diamonds. There is one fob chain of great beauty. It is of blue leather and a heavy gold strap set with a milky green stone, square in shape. The most striking piece is a magnificent seal ring of which the seal can be lifted and a tiny watch displayed.

MANNERS KNOWN IN CHICAGO.

Thebaud's Valet Said to Be Son of a Pawnbroker There.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Theodore E. Manners, who is under arrest in New Orleans, is positively identified in Chicago as the valet of Paul G. Thebaud of New York, and fugitive under charge of having stolen $60,000 worth of jewelry from the wife of his employer.

The identification is by Dr. Louis G. Witherspoon of 1002 West Madison street, Chicago, who, the prisoner declared, would identify him as the son of a pawnbroker in this city. Dr. Witherspoon says that the photographs of the missing valet, who disappeared with a fortune in diamonds, are unquestionably exact pictures of the man he knows as "Manners," although, oddly, the suspect gave Dr. Witherspoon as a reference, and as one of the men who could prove that he was what he claimed to be, the son of a Chicago pawnbroker, with a residence at 3100 Groveland avenue.

"I know Thomas E. Manners, or the man who represented himself to me under that name," said Dr. Witherspoon, "but he never told me that he was a citizen of Chicago. He always claimed that he was a resident of New York City. The Manners whom I know, and who is certainly the valet wanted for the big jewelry robbery, was in Chicago last week. He called on me at my office and later we took dinner together."

Dr. Witherspoon says he first met Manners on the pier in New York City, two years ago, and that when they left the ship in Hamburg, Manners gave him valuable information regarding resorts in Germany and Switzerland, showing he was an experienced traveler. Dr. Witherspoon says Manners always had plenty of money, and when here last week said he was going to New Orleans, then to San Francisco.

"Manners always claimed to me," said Dr. Witherspoon, "that he was the son of the president of a large firm that imports and exports fruit, and that he acted in the capacity of auditor, visiting European agents of the firm."

POET PLEADS FOR HIS PUP

Poor Man's Heart Made Glad by "License Collector of Dogs" Whyte's Kind Letter.

License Commissioner Whyte receives many letters from owners of dogs, in relation to the license fee of $1, which has been demanded of every one who possesses a pup, on pain of arrest.

Two of recent date, one in verse and the other in prose, gave Mr. Whyte opportunities to exercise his good nature in different ways. Both were pleas to be exempted from paying the tax immediately.

Charles Lea sent by his little son a note stating that he was too poor to pay the tax just now. He needed the money to support his family. He said that by the first Saturday in February he would have money for the tax, and he requested the "license collector of dogs," as he addressed the commissioner, to wait until that date.

Mr. Lea wrote that Officer Eugene O'Connor had notified him that he must pay his dog tax at once. Mr. Lea was greatly worried lest the commissioner should not give him a month's grace.

Mr. Whyte wrote in reply that Mr. Lea and his dog need not worry, as the office would wait until Feb. 11 for the $1.

The other letter mentioned is from Frank Obear of the Obear Investment Co., and is in verse. It runs as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Whyte:
I've received your request
To put a tag on my little dog's collar,
Accompanied by a threat of arrest
If I did not send you a dollar.
Now, I am informed, if the law you'll look up,
You'll find an injustice is done;
For my dog is only a 5-months-old pup,
And at large not permitted to run,
If your well-known gallantry will not admit
That the claim above mentioned is fair;
Then for a round dollar I guess I am bit,
And will pay, Your friend,
FRANK OBEAR.

Commissioner Whyte replied, in quite practical prose, that Mr. Obear must pay the dollar at once, or at the expiration of 10 days' grace, which the law allows. Mr. Obear was notified, good-naturedly but firmly, that unless he "coughed up" he would be subject to a fine of not less than $5 nor more than $50.

The dollar arrived at the City Hall shortly afterward.

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WILD CHEERING IN HOUSE OF LORDS

ALL PRECEDENTS VIOLATED OVER SPEECH OF THE KING.

PRAISED SOLDIERS' HUMANITY

At This the Dignified Body Broke Out in Wild Applause, Much to Edward's Delight.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch.

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LONDON, Jan. 17.—A scene of wild, unrestrainable enthusiasm, without a parallel in the supremely dignified House of Lords, occurred during the reading of the speech from the throne by King Edward himself.

Peers, peeresses and high officers of state cheered long and loud, repeating again and again, when the King praised the humanity of his soldiers.

This royal answer to the aspersions cast upon the British troops by Germans, French and others aroused the usually stolid nobles as they never were roused before. The unconventional cheering, violating every sacred convention, discomfited the officials of the House, whose signalled deprecation of this departure from ancient tradition was all in vain. But it evidently gratified the King.

This was the only striking feature of the speech with which the King opened Parliament. The pomp and ceremony preceding the speech were as imposing and as quaint as at the similar occasion last February.

Mourning for Queen Victoria has been dropped, and the display of robes and gowns was gorgeous in the extreme.

FUNERAL OF CHARLES HOYLE

Many Friends Present at First Service, Which Was Followed by Private One for Family.

The funeral of Charles Hoyle took place Friday morning at 10 o'clock from his late residence, 4483 Laclede avenue.

The parlor was filled with floral offerings from various friends, the coffin covered with smilax, upon rested a large cross of white roses and hyacinths. There were two services, one for the friends, and after their departure, one for the family, Dean Davis of Christ Church Cathedral officiating.

The interment took place in the family lot at Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Mr. Hoyle leaves a widow and four children, two daughters and two sons—Misses Mary and Mildred Hoyle and George and Charles Hoyle, Jr. A sister, Miss Ella Hoyle, and a brother, Mr. Henry Hoyle, who for many years has been blind. Among the friends who attended the services were Messrs. Edwin Harrison, Henry Kent, Lilburn McNair, George Miltenberger, George Loker, Knapp, Charles Cabanne, W. H. Thompson, Judge Hough and others.

BUTTERFLIES WORTH $20,000

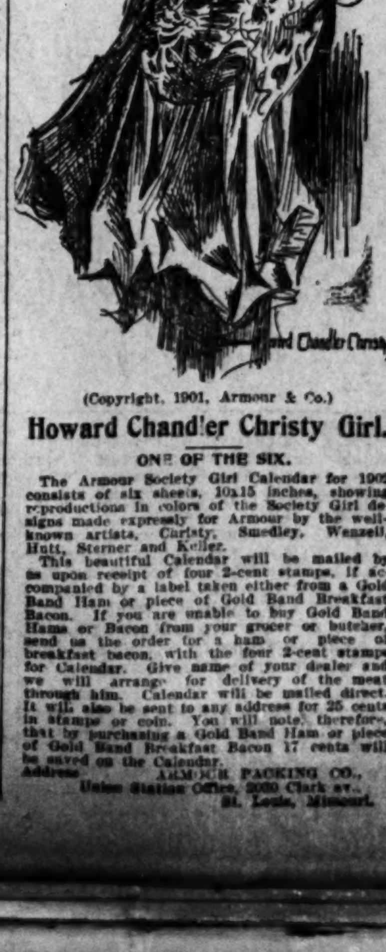
The Remarkable Streicker Collection Purchased by the American Museum of Natural History.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Through the gift of $20,000 by Dean Hoffman, the American Museum of Natural History will receive the largest collection of butterflies and moths in this country. This addition will make the museum's collection one of the largest in the world.

Since the death of Dr. Herman Streicker many representatives of museums have visited his former home in Reading, Pa., and strong efforts have been made to obtain his collection for their respective institutions. The heirs, however, said no deviation would be made from the original valuation placed upon the collection by Dr. Streicker, which was $20,000.

Morris K. Jessup, president of the museum in this city, has received a letter from Dean Hoffman, authorizing him to buy the collection for that sum. The arrival of the Streicker material will increase the museum collection by 100,000 specimens, among which are several hundred "types," that is, specimens originally new to science, and from which the first description of the species is made. The museum will receive also the Streicker collection entirely.

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STOPPED AT HOTEL OVER NIGHT

There He Registered in a Friend's Name and Secured a Divorce on That Evidence.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Against Wolf Mandelberg, the plaintiff in a divorce suit, the charge was made in a Brooklyn court that he had gone to a hotel with his wife, had registered in a friend's name, and then had used this false registration to prove his wife guilty of misconduct. Judge Herrick set aside a decree Mandelberg had obtained and exonerated the wife.

Mrs. Mandelberg was an expert worker on passementerie. Mrs. Mandelberg said her husband, in June, 1899, suggested that she go to St. Louis, where, he said, passementerie workers were well paid and where he had a friend, Isaac Rimson. She went away on June 8.

Mandelberg then began divorce proceedings. He alleged his wife had gone to a hotel with Isaac Rimson on June 8, 1899, and had left the state with him.

Mrs. Mandelberg said that on the day she left for St. Louis her husband had gone with her to the Sherman House and had registered. The entry "Ike Rimson and wife" she said, was in Mandelberg's handwriting. After filing his suit the man remarried, but never failed to write regularly to his wife in St. Louis. The wife said she hurried back from St. Louis and opened the default in the divorce case as soon as she had heard of it.

After hearing this testimony Judge Herrick said to the counsel for the man: "You will have to strengthen your case or I shall feel inclined to send this matter to the grandjury."

SACRIFICE FOR GIRL FRIEND

Twenty Young Women Gave Bits of Skin to Save Beauty of Victim of Gasoline.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Twenty girls gave up a portion of their cuticle today at the Post-Graduate Hospital in order that their friend, Miss Helen Peck, might have her beauty restored.

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RELIGION SPREAD MORE THAN RACE

Catholics of United States Lead, With 9,158,941.

CHURCHES HAVE 27,360,610

CENSUS FIGURES SHOW THAT THERE ARE 300,000 MORMONS.

Disciples of Christ Have Doubled, There Are 22 Kinds of Lutherans, and Methodism Showed but a Small Gain.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Statistics on the growth of churches of the United States in 1901 and the order of denominational rank in 1890 and 1901 have been completed by the Rev. Dr. H. Carroll, who is in charge of the religious statistics of the United States census of 1890.

At the end of 1900 there were 27,360,610 members of all churches in the United States, according to Dr. Carroll's figures, and 28,090,637 at the end of 1901, a gain of 730,027 or 2.67 per cent, or greater than the gain in population, 2.13 per cent, the annual rate of increase in population from 1890 to 1900.

The Catholics lead with a present membership of 9,158,941, a gain of 468,063. Dr. Carroll rates the increase in Roman Catholic membership as too high and regards the figures as those of the growth of several years in a large proportion of the diocese. The percentage of growth in the Protestant Episcopal Church, 4 per cent, Dr. Carroll regards as large. It is next to the Roman Catholic, the largest growth of the year, and was greatest in the eastern cities.

The accessions to the Protestant Episcopal Church were from Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists, Congregationalists and other denominations rather than from the non-church public.

The Disciples of Christ, whose membership is almost wholly in the middle West, has almost doubled its followers since 1890. Of Christians, Dr. Carroll says he took his statistics from the mother church at Boston, while his figures are much less than some scientists claim.

The statistician found 22 different kinds of Lutherans in the United States. The total Lutheran growth last year was 36,101, much of which was in the independent synods, that of Iowa alone being 21,000, while others lost heavily. Of his own body, the Methodists, he says that with a total membership of 2,762,691, the Methodist North increased but 16,500. Last year, however, many evangelical movements, in which the Methodists led, were undertaken, and it has been claimed that 600,000 new members were brought in.

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To the President and Board of Directors of the Mississippi Valley Trust Company:

The undersigned Committee of Stockholders, neither of whom is a director, having been appointed in accordance with the by-laws of the Company to make the annual examination of all the books, accounts and securities, hereby respectfully reports that it has gone carefully into the details of each item as represented in resources and liabilities, and has found the statement of condition, as published at the close of business on December 31st, 1901, to be correct.

The bonds and stocks owned by the Company are carried at very conservative valuations. The collaterals hypothecated to secure various loans, and to protect the Company as surety on outstanding bonds, are high-grade with ample margin at current quotations.

All securities and matters held in a trust or fiduciary capacity were in order and kept entirely separate from the assets of the Company. We desire to especially commend the excellent system in handling estates and the judgment used in selection of investments for trust funds.

We found the Bond, Real Estate and Safe Deposit, as well as the other departments, well managed, each producing a satisfactory revenue and each equipped with the necessary up-to-date facilities for the transaction of its business.

We cannot close this report without congratulating you on the very gratifying increase in business and earnings during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. A. COX,
HENRY AMES,
JAMES T. DRUMMOND,
Committee.

ST. LOUIS, January 13th, 1902.

JOSEF HOFMANN, ARTIST WITHOUT FRILLS, WAS A REAL DELIGHT

SOLOIST OF THE NEXT APOLLO CLUB CONCERT



MRS. WEBB-GARDNER.

She has been engaged for the next concert of the Apollo Club, which will be given at the Odeon Jan. 28.

Joseph Hofmann, a pianist without frills, was greeted at the Odeon last evening by an enthusiastic audience. The young artist's interpretation of Liszt, Hayden, Beethoven, Schubert, Chopin and Moszkowski was such as to hold his hearers with almost breathless attention. The Auditorium might have had fewer vacant seats, but the quality of the audience and not the quantity showed plainly that it was a music-loving set.

The notable feature of the exhibition was Beethoven's "Sonata Appassionate," by which Mr. Hofmann has won fame wherever and whenever he has appeared. In Liszt's Gnomenreigen the tone painting and perfection of execution was so perceptible as to almost enable one to see the little fairies and hear their wooden flutes in the forest.

Mr. Hermann plays the piano with such a gentleness of touch as to leave the impression at first that the performer has little force. But this impression soon passes, and later it is seen that he is even more forceful than Paderewski. When the last number was given, the overture from "Tannhauser," the forceful climax came as a surprise, because it was so unexpected.

The program was well arranged to give the best effect to the playing, and the most pleasure to the audience. Those numbers which were intended to show Mr. Hofmann's skill and technique were placed first on the program, and the numbers in which the real melody was found were placed last, so that the audience left the Odeon with the remembrance of beautiful tones rather than a recollection of an exhibition of key manipulation.

Josef Hofmann does not wear long hair, he plays without show, and he is altogether delightful. Another concert will be given Saturday afternoon at which this program will be presented:

(a) Fugue—A minor .... Vach-Liszt
(b) Sonate—A-flat major, Op. 39 .... Weber
Allegro moderato—Andante—Presto assai—Rondo.
(c) Scherzo a Cappriccio .... Mendelssohn
(d) Berceuse .... Josef Hofmann
(e) Durch die Wolken .... Josef Hofmann
(f) Danse Macabre .... Saint-Saens
(a) Ballade—G minor .... Chopin
(b) Two Polish songs—G-flat major and G major .... Chopin
(c) Liebestraum .... Liszt
(d) Valse—Mephisto .... Liszt

"Winchester," Edward McWade's successful war drama, will be given a "greater" production in New York next fall for an extended run. This play is making all kinds of money for all concerned. It is also making a splendid reputation for Miss Margaret May, who is starring in the role of the heroine, Virginia Randolph.

Wagenhals and Kemper's revival of the "Comedy of Errors" is the next interesting event in the classic field. The massive scenic effects will be built in their own studio and painted by Alexander Corbett. The costumes will be made by Hermann. The construction of the numerous properties and electrical effects which will take many months to complete is already under way. Two very well-known stars will appear as the two Dromios.

Mr. Ralph Stuart retired as the leading man of the Grace George Company after the performance of "Under Southern Skies" Saturday night, Jan. 11, and started for Seattle, where he begins a starring tour of 20 weeks' duration on Jan. 19, opening in "Lost Paradise."

Blanche Walsh has made a hit in her new play "La Madeleine," which she recently produced in New Orleans, and will add it to her repertory for the remainder of the season. It is an emotional drama with the scenes laid in Paris at the present time. The title part is a strong one and affords Miss Walsh many opportunities, and she embraces every one of them. La Madeleine, "the idol of the half world, meets and loves the young scion of a noble house, the fortunes of which had been wrecked by his reckless father, who had committed murder and had been reported to have died in prison, where he was serving life sentence. To this man, Louis Marquis de la Braye, she gives a pure devotion. Love is new to her, and she immolates herself upon its altar. Her lover does not know she is the woman of whom all Paris is talking. He believes her to be a shopgirl, as good as beautiful. La Madeleine determines to live up to his idea. She leaves her dizzying palace of passion for the garret of virtue and toil. In the concluding act La Madeleine kills herself. In her despair she had thrown down the crucifix she bore. In her dying moments she gropes about the floor until she finds it, and passes away with the cross pressed to her lips. It is a tragedy.

THEY STOLE THE BUILDING

Then These Two Men Came Back and Tried Hard to Also Sell the Lot.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 17.—David Walters, a marble cutter of Newburg, up to today had two shops. Yesterday Walters found occasion to go to his shop on McConnell street and great was his astonishment to find that his building had entirely disappeared and that there was not a chip left on the ground to mark the site of the structure.

Inquiry developed that two men had come there early the previous morning with a team of horses and a hay rack and had proceeded to tear down the building and load it on their wagon. The building was practically a new structure, one story high and about 20 by —, the robbers worked hard nearly all day tearing it down and loading the timber upon their wagon.

The robbers visited several houses along the street and attempted to sell the lot, which also belonged to Mr. Walters. They stated at each house that they had purchased both the lot and building of Mr. Walters. They did not succeed in finding a purchaser, and just before dark drove away with the building in the form of lumber safely packed away on their hay rack.

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"It Was Worth Being Governor, Just to See a Family Reunited Again," He Said.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Io., Jan. 17.—Ex-Gov. Leslie M. Shaw, the new secretary of the treasury, discussing his use of the pardoning power, while admitting that in two years he had released three times as many convicts as had been released by his predecessors in ten years, or 473 in all, said he believed he was doing the noblest work in the power of Christian man. He continued:

"As a matter of fact, there were fewer actual pardons during my term than during the administrations of most of my predecessors. I released from prison an unprecedented number of convicts, but it was conditioned on their complete reformation, and in the cases of 155 of them I have been receiving excellent reports of their conduct every month. In many cases I found my confidence misplaced, and they had to return to prison those that could be recaptured.

"It is worth being governor just to see a family reunited and the husband started on the right road after having made a misstep that landed him in the penitentiary. You can never break a cow to milk by letting her go dry. In the case of A. L. Wood, the Winterset editor and postmaster, it is said, politics was involved. Nearly every member of the legislature in which he served signed the petition for his pardon and the most influential men of Winterset pleaded for him. He had a wife and children at home suffering for means of support, his fortune being wasted in trying to save him from prison.

"The father of the girl he wronged protested earnestly against his release. He said his daughter was so infatuated with the man that she went to the penitentiary walls that she might be near him, and was there awaiting his release. I told him that by releasing Wood and conditioning his liberty on future good behavior I would be bringing about the reformation of both Wood and the girl. He assented and the experiment is now in progress."

POLICEMEN MAY GO ON STRIKE

Chicago's Mayor Says They May Do So if They Please—He Has 3000 Eligibles Ready.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—An unprecedented thing is expected in Chicago. The police force is talking about going out on a strike. Chief of Police O'Neil warned all members of the protective organization that they would be disciplined or dismissed unless they abandoned the "oath-bound order." The policemen in the association refuse to talk. It is said a secret meeting will be held Sunday to discuss the situation. Some persons think there may be resistance on the part of the police, and perhaps a strike. Discussing the matter, Mayor Harrison said:

"If the entire police force were to go on strike tomorrow, within five days I could have the city of Chicago thoroughly policed and all from the list of eligibles, of whom there are more than 3000 men. The Policemen's Protective Association is absolutely prohibited, and must disband. Those who took the oath which bound the members together must give back that oath. All proper purposes can be served by the Policemen's Benevolent Association. I think the new association will stand investigation and it will be investigated."

TEETH SHOWED HIM TOO YOUNG TO WED

THAT IS WHAT A STRANGER TOLD MORRIS SACHS.

SWEETHEART JILTED HIM

Sachs Had Her Arrested, but She Refused to Love Him and Was Discharged.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Morris Sachs, 20 years old, was jilted by his former sweetheart, Lena Block. He caused the arrest of the young woman and today he explained to Justice Dooley why he did so.

"I love that girl with my eyes, with my heart and soul," exclaimed Sachs. "I want to marry her, but she won't have me."

Miss Block, who lives at 89 Miller street, declared that she would never have Sachs for a husband.

"I can't make the young lady love you unless she chooses to herself," replied the court. "If she does not love you that is her own affair."

"But she told me that she loved me. She said I was the only man she ever loved, and she promesd to marry me."

"How is this, Miss Block?" asked his honor. "Did you promise to marry Mr. Sachs?"

"He is too young to marry, judge," replied the fair defendant.

It developed that a discussion had arisen at the young woman's home as to the proper age for a man to take a wife. A stranger to Sachs volunteered the information that Sachs was much too young to marry, and said he could prove it.

"I can tell by his teeth if he is old enough to marry," said the stranger, and Sachs agreed to permit the experiment.

"That fellow came up to me, told me to open my mouth wide, and then he put his finger on my teeth," said the complainant. "In a minute he turned around and told everybody I was too young to marry. He said my teeth showed it.

"Immediately after," continued the witness, "my sweetheart went back on me and refused to love me any longer.'

But Lena's heart would not melt. So the justice discharged her and told Morris to seek another sweetheart.

FR. HARTY GIVES A RECEPTION.

New Officers of St. Leo's Lyceum Are the Guests.

Thursday eevning Father Harty gave a reception to the new officers of St. Leo's Lyceum, elected Monday evening. The new officers are: President, Samuel F. Halley; Vice-President, John D. Gibbons; Recording Secretary, Miss Alice Autram; Financial Secretary, Miss Mamie Haugh; Spiritual Director, Rev. T. J. Lloyd.

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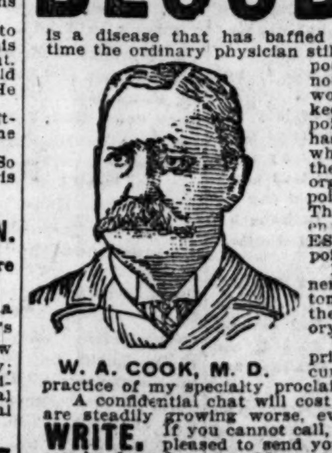
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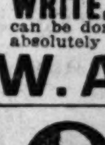
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Isn't it full time for the municipal authorities to show grabbing contractors that St. Louis will not submit to contract grabs or combines?

Prince Henry may have heard much of what the Germans have accomplished in the United States, but he will nevertheless be astonished when he sees with his own eyes the progress they have made on all lines. This will be especially true if he visits St. Louis.

NO DISCUSSION IN THE HOUSE.

After Thomas B. Reed fastened his rules upon the House of Representatives, it was said that "the House is no longer a deliberative body."

Recent events afford the proof.

The Nicaraguan canal bill was passed through the House in three days. A measure more important than any that has occupied the attention of the country for years is sent to the Senate, where its merits will happily be considered. The Philippine tariff bill was given two days. The great questions involved were not mentioned.

The rule is, fix it up with the committee on rules. If the Speaker and the committee agree, the bill "goes." If not, no power known to the law and the custom can be invoked.

The Speaker of the House and the President of the United States, in confabulation assembled, can put through any old bill. What the House thinks of it, what the members' convictions, what the will of the people—all this is of no consequence. Let the Senate debate.

Thus the Senate is the only real law-making body. The House has abdicated. It is not pleasant to think of. But perhaps the condition is only temporary.

Great Britain has many able cartoonists. Why cannot war between Germany and Great Britain be left entirely to the cartoonists of the two countries?

A WORD TO BARD KIPLING.

War Singer Kipling calls his latest song "The Islanders." In composing its harsh and vibrant strains, in which the British islanders are basted with abuse, did the bard forget that he also is a British islander?

In days gone by, the bards who sang war songs to the forefathers of these same islanders were expected to go along with the fighting men and keep in close touch with the cohorts. There were no newspapers in which the war song could be scattered among the people. If the bard was not actually on the firing line, exposed to the arrows and stones of the enemy, he at least had to be close enough to make his voice heard. He was not "idle—openly idle—in the lee of the forespent line." Nor was he afar off in some safe spot, town or capital where no blows could reach.

If Kipling would retrace his steps to Africa and stay there, giving notice to the Boers that he was coming, he would doubtless be safe enough. Surely the Boers would spare a bard whose songs must sting the British as much as Boer bullets have.

Unnecessary protection and unnecessary taxation are not good things for any country—not even for the United States.

LAZINESS AND JUSTICE.

Mrs. Sophia Demuth, who has begun an anti-lazy man crusade in Alton, opens the campaign by having one man arrested and taking his children away from him.

The masculine gender should take notice of Mrs. Demuth's activity, since there is not a man on earth who is not exposed to the charge of laziness.

Suppose Mrs. Demuth sees a man whose sprightliness is not equal to the Demuth requirement. He makes a living for his children, but if he were more sprightly, that is, less lazy, he could make a better living. The same is true of persons born and bred in a southern climate under a hot sun. They may work as hard as they can and yet not work very hard. Are they lazy? Of course they are. Again take the man who has toiled day in, day out, for 20 or 30 years. Suddenly he gets tired. Perhaps his weariness takes the form of nervous prostration. He is the laziest drone in the hive. Have the law of him.

Mrs. Demuth is merely strengthening the hands of Nature. That good dame is busy selecting those best fitted to survive. She wants the fittest and sooner or later all others will be cast out and trodden under foot. The weary, the overworked, the sluggish—all who cannot keep up the pace—let them go; they are not fit. Nature is very wise.

Nevertheless there is another side, too much neglected, perhaps, in these strenuous days. It is the side of justice. And what is justice? Plato defined it to be "minding one's own business."

King Edward VII ought to have a very high opinion of American women. They taught him something when he was Prince of Wales.

TAKE CARE OF THE HUMAN MACHINE.

The discussion aroused by the disaster in the New York Central tunnel brings out the fact that the employer's first care should be the human machine.

Locomotives, interlocking switches, blocks, signals—all the elaborate machinery contrived by the cunning of inventors—have been brought almost to perfection. But the human element after all cannot be dispensed with. To make a perfect machine of iron, steel and brass work perfectly, it must be controlled by a human machine in perfect condition. A fault in the human mechanism, mental or physical, is pretty sure to result in disaster.

Conditions are changing so rapidly that it is difficult to keep up with them. Men who run the locomotives on fast trains must have nerves of steel, moral integrity and mental stability in a degree not often found. Is it strange that the nerves give way now and then, that the moral integrity relaxes into carelessness, and that the mental stability yields to flightiness? The strain to which these men are subject is tremendous. Under the most favorable circumstances they sometimes fail. It is a matter of course that they should collapse when exposed to additional strain like overwork or unwholesome surroundings.

This may be said of every occupation. Everything nowadays is machine made and excellence depends upon the condition of the human machine. It is to the interest of the employer to keep this in good health. There are reasons of humanity, of course, which should be weighty enough to induce the employer to provide wholesome conditions, but when these are ignored, self-interest should teach him its expediency. Had the New York Central considered this before it was too late the hideous accident in the tunnel might not have occurred.

The Board of Police Commissioners having instructed the police to enforce the law prohibiting the carrying of concealed weapons we may hope to see a diminution of manslaughter. If the order is obeyed there is no doubt of this result, since much of the killing is due to the handy gun. The order is a common sense recognition of the claims of humanity and civilization.

BRING THE WORLD INTO HARMONY.

The alacrity with which the Post-Dispatch's suggestion that Prince Henry of Prussia be invited to St. Louis and be convinced of the great advantage of German participation in the World's Fair was taken up and acted upon by the World's Fair managers, speaks well for the spirit of the men responsible for its success.

If St. Louis can send Prince Henry home so favorably impressed with the World's Fair project and the value of German exhibits therein that he will act as a special friendly commissioner to the Emperor, a great step will be gained. At this critical time Germany's co-operation would be most helpful, not merely for the value of the German exhibits in the Fair, but as a potent influence upon other nations. The visit of Prince Henry therefore is a timely opportunity to do a good stroke for the Fair.

No point can now be overlooked. The attitude of other nations, of the people of the United States and of the press everywhere must be noted. St. Louis must face the facts, whatever they are, and make the best of them. Public thought must be directed aright and the actions of others shaped if possible to serve the interests of St. Louis.

There is no profit in abusing others who do not agree with St. Louis. We should know their views and correct them if they are wrong. If we are justly subject to criticism let us remove the cause.

The World's Fair cannot be built under cover, but must be built under the eyes of the world. We must know what the outside world thinks and bring it into harmony with our purposes

It is peculiarly Chicagoese to regard Chicago sewage as more healthful than Missouri River water.

CONQUERING SPAIN AGAIN.

Edward Lowery, in the January "World's Work," shows that we are conquering Spain over again. It is a silent conquest, and of a character of which every American may be proud. Instead of guns we are using machinery, locomotives and railway rolling stock; in place of swords and bayonets, reaping machines and plows.

This has nearly all come about since Spain evacuated Cuba and acknowledged herself beaten in the appeal to arms. Since then, the land of the Dons has placed more orders with us for rolling stock than any other European country. The latest feature of the peaceable invasion is the filling of an order for a dining car, a parlor car and a sleeping car for the private train of King Alfonso.

Such a conquest is worthy of the twentieth century. Spain will be inestimably benefited by it. Her people, with the aid of American inventions, may take their place once more in the front rank of progressive nations.

The directors of the Texas World's Fair Commission ask "every man and woman in the State of Texas" to consider the necessity of a great Texan exhibit. Doubtless there are few Texans who do not fully realize that the great Exposition will be the best opportunity their empire could have to make known its boundless resources.

Considering the inhumanity invariably attendant upon war, it is remarkable that there should be so much denial of it. Germany and Great Britain are both now busy defending themselves from charges of barbarism and nobody in the United States wants to believe that anything inhuman has been done in the Philippines.

To save the life of a negro murderer, three Kentucky lynchers have been shot down. This seems to be the only way to persuade the lynching element in many communities that the law should be permitted to take its course.

The Transit company's immense new coal bin is expected to reduce expenses. A fuel oil tank would make a greater reduction. Should the fuel oil be what is claimed for it, there will be little use for big coal bins.

The most conspicuous employe of the Steel Trust is not breaking the bank at Monte Carlo to improve the morals of Europe, but he may have an idea of endowing some American college.

No newspaper can please all its readers, but the extraordinary growth in the circulation of the Post-Dispatch is a good sign that most of its patrons are content with its contents.

The 473 convicts pardoned by Gov. Shaw are wishing him well, whatever other Iowans may be thinking of the perils of society.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Gen. Wing doesn't fly from the Boers. He has caught 49 of them.

Uncle Mark Hanna seems to procrastinate in the matter of getting himself a Roosevelt hat.

Even Paris has to drink watered milk. Municipal government battles in vain against the pump.

If Uncle Russell Sage is a gay Lothario and Charlie Schwab is a rapid gambler, how can we longer have faith in noted financiers?

The consul who drops out under the merit system which President Roosevelt is advocating will be sure to suspect that it is a scheme to build a Roosevelt machine for 1904.

A Nebraska divorced husband has fervently blessed his former wife and her new husband. The Ruskin idea seems to be expanding in all directions. Perhaps it brings happiness to all in many more cases than might be supposed.

So long as Theodore Roosevelt is President we are to have no other war than the Philippine folly. "War?" says the President, "do you think I'm going to have a war while I'm cooped up here in the White House? Well, I guess not!"

When the Kron Prinz Wilhelm brings over Prince Heinrich the President of the United States will give him a new realization of the Willkommenheit, but it can scarcely be expected that Great Britain will be particularly pleased at any large display of American hospitality to Germans.

With active Current Topic clubs debating on the sewer system of St. Louis, the Work and Needs of the Street Department, the question as to whether the St. Louis Transit Co. is censured justly or unjustly, and discussing all other municipal interests, why shall we not have a New St. Louis speedily?

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

B. B.—There is no premium on a half dollar of 1820.

OSCAR W. GOALLY.—There is no premium on a 1-cent piece of 1855.

ST. LOUIS.—Yes, it's proper enough to introduce the lady as your chaperon. But it won't matter if you don't always mention the fact.

F. C. D.—"Is the River Des Peres a river or creek? Neither. It used to be a babbling brook, but now it's a sewer. It never was a river. Yes, much more than 10 miles long, considering all its turnings and branches.

H. E. J.—Yes, the sun dial is a correct timekeeper if the measurements on the dial are correctly made. The rays known as Roentgen rays are so-called from the discoverer. He called them Xray because they represented an unknown fact. Say a "10-foot rule," but "10 feet."

Spanish Courtesy.

From a letter by Walter Williams.

Spanish courtesy is a constant rebuke to Americans. The Spaniard is not content with merely directing the inquirer. Instead, he will go blocks out of his way in order that the stranger may find the place for which he makes inquiry. This happened to the Missourians not once, but many times. Business men, bankers, professional men, as well as the ordinary policemen, upon the simplest inquiry as to the location of some public building would leave their work and go to the very door of the public building as a response.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

GOOD RIGHT HAND.



Ma: Oh, how cruel! In India they whip children with young palm trees.

Willie: Huh! Don't you spank me with your palm? And it ain't such a young palm, either!—Chicago News.

ANOTHER MATERIAL.

Bessie: Mamma's hands are so soft; they are velvet.

Billy: Well, when she caught us in the pantry this morning Tommy can tell you that her hands were felt.—Chicago News.

HER VACCINATION MARK.

It was at a dinner party. The bright young man found himself privileged to sit next to the young woman with beautiful arms and neck. He thought himself the most favored personage in the room. Suddenly his fair companion exhibited signs of nervousness. Two of his very best jokes, saved for a special occasion, passed by unnoticed. Her face wore a look of alarm. Apprehensively the young man gazed at her, and meeting the look she said:

"I am in misery."

"In misery?" echoed the man.

"Yes," she replied, "I was vaccinated the other day, and it has taken beautifully. I could almost scream, it hurts so."

The young man looked at the beautiful arms, and seeing no mark there, said:

"Why, where were you vaccinated?"

"In Boston," she replied, the smile chasing away the look of pain.—Boston Journal

WHEN THE FIGHT STARTED.

"Put down yer brick, Mulligan, awn Oi'll foight yez clane-fisted."

"Clane-fisted, eh? How kin yez do thot whin yez niver wash yer honds?"—Chicago News.

A HINDRANCE.

Mrs. Hiram Offen: And do you think you could do the cooking for the family with a little help from me?

Applicant: No, Ma'am I do not.

Mrs. Hiram Offen: You don't?

Applicant: No, ma'am, but Oi's sure Oi cud do it widout anny help from you.—Philadelphia Press.

THE ORIGIN OF POLKA.

In "Bygone Dances," in Cassell's, John Collett thus recounts the origin of the polka:

The polka is the natural dance for the feet of the people. Take in evidence its origin—a Bohemian peasant girl was seen dancing "out of her own head," extemporizing from the sheer joy of her heart song, tune and steps. This she did on a Sunday afternoon in Elbeleinitz, and an artist, one Josef Neruda, who spied her, made a note of all he saw. The people of the town adopted the dance and called it the Pulka, half step. In 1835 it reached Prague, and Vienna in 1840, thence it spread rapidly through Europe. When M. Cellarius introduced it to the Parisians we hear that all else gave way before "the all-absorbing pursuit, the polka, which embraces in its qualities the intimacy of the waltz with the vivacity of the Irish jig." With becoming gravity the Illustrated London News reported the first drawing-room polka danced at Almack's, and followed this up on May 11, 1844, with a description of the five figures, adding that those who wished to shine should dance the whole.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

Earth's crammed with heaven,
And every common bush afire
with God;
But only he who sees takes off
his shoes.
The rest sit 'round it and pluck
blackberries.
And daub their natural faces unaware
More and more from the first
similitude.
Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Little vices keep company with great virtues.

A lazy woman is in danger of sin because it is too much trouble to escape it.

A woman's logic moves backward just like a crawfish, but it doesn't go so straight.

Give a woman your love and she will overlook some mighty serious moral deficiencies.

No woman will ever admit that she got beaten at a bargain except when she got her husband.—New York Press.

A CARNEGIE COLLEGE YELL.

Mr. Carnegie's new educational institution will not be complete without a college yell, and it ought to be something that will be characteristic, and at the same time, if possible, convey a compliment to its eminent founder. Something like the following might do:

Kilties and kneecaps,
Bare and braw;
Hoot mon! Hoot mon!
Rah! Rah! Rah!
—Washington Times.

ALCOHOL PLOW LOCOMOBILES.

From the United States Consular Reports.

Consul-General Guenther sends the following from Frankfort, July 27, 1900:

"On July 25 the motor factory of Obrursel, near Frankfort, exhibited in the presence of a number of experts its new alcohol plow locomobiles. The plow locomobile is a 20-horse power one, and confidence is expressed by competent judges that coal can in some cases be substituted by alcohol, which can be procured everywhere and at a low cost. The alcohol plow is said to have performed its work fully as well as a steam plow operated simultaneously. The problem of using alcohol for power purposes has been solved by the motor factory in evaporating denaturized alcohol of 90 degrees. The construction and operation of the motor is, after the gasification, the same as that of a gas motor. The machine uses about a pint of alcohol an hour for one horse power. It is claimed that the operating expense is 25 per cent lower than that of steam plows."

UP TO STYLE.



Young Hisser: What's Edgar Adder so puffed up about?

Crawler: Oh, he's just shed his skin and is wearing one of those latest loud suits—Chicago News.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

A Witchcraft Trial on the Island of Celebes.

A missionary stationed at Lake Posso, on the Island of Celebes, writes as follows to the St. Petersburg Journal: The heathendom is still very extensive here. A few days ago an old woman was cut to pieces in spite of my energetic protests. According to the stories of the natives the woman had come some time ago to their district and had asked for a cocoanut. When this was refused she had rested against a big tree, which at once dried up. A week later she met a little boy and asked him for a drink of water. The boy gave it, but afterward drank of the same vessel. He died seven days later, and it was now clear that the woman was a witch. She was conducted before the chief of the tribe and forced to put her hand into boiling resin. In case the hand remained uninjured she would have been declared innocent, but the hand was naturally burnt up, whereupon the poor woman was literally cut to pieces.

My Lady in Her Furs.

When in her mannish shirtwaist
With forearms bare and brown
I vow my lady's fairest
Of all in field or town.

When autumn burns the mountains
With flames of ruddy fire
My lady in her sweater
Awakes my muse's lyre.

But when the bitter north wind
Old winter's wrath bestirs
I swear there's naught can equal
My lady in her furs.
—N. S. O., in Rochester Post-Express.

In January.

Gauntleted gloves have been christened Coronation.

Queen's gray is the smart thing in striped taffeta.

Taffeta strapping holds good on fine tailor-mades.

Red Louis heels are to be had on black kid boots.

Bougainvilleas are once more in the florists' windows.

In the spring many a woman feels the need of a bunch of violets in her chapeau, if not of a whole violet hat.

The younger the girl the more anxious is she to wear all black.

Very attractive are tile flower pots.

Darkest dahlia is very small and new in furnishings.

Fur bargains come when we have spring and summer needs.

Hats entirely of white flowers are most modish.

French doctors have renewed the cry against colored stockings, which they hold to be responsible in great measure for a number of diseases—shooting pains, numbness, swollen joints, muscular atrophy, nervous rheumatism and kindred troubles. A leading Vienna physician chimes in, saying he knows of women who suffer from vertigo from the same cause.

A plebiscitum has been organized in France, voters being requested to propose the names of 40 women to constitute a female academy of immortals. In the final classification places have been made for five royal personages, 16 writers, scientists or philosophers, two musicians, five painters and eight dramatic or lyric artists. Queen Wilhelmina leads the list with 5212 votes and Ellen Terry is 40th with 1875.

The Scintillating Hat.

Jet hats in the tricorne and in the elongated marquis shapes are new and very smart. They are not heavy, as the jet spangles are sewn on net in serpentine lines, which gives the effect of a greater amount of jet than is really used for the purpose. This spangled net is draped over a tulle shape, so that when complete the weight of the jet hat is no more than that of a velvet one. These hats are trimmed simply with a large, soft bow or chou in coral or pale blue velvet, pierced with a green turtle pin.

Fruit Potpouris.

The ultra-fashionable dinner of the present season does not begin with the festive bivalve, as has been the custom of years gone by, but with fruit potpouri, so judiciously mixed as to be neither sweet nor sour, or to make or mar an appetite. It is composed, as a general thing, of grape fruit, oranges, lemons, grapes and cherries, and is served in wide stemmed glasses. The fruit is prepared and sugared some hours before the dinner so that there is plenty of juice, and just at the serving a small glassful of sherry wine is poured over each serving.

Another popular first course, not quite so complicated, is grape fruit, the pulp of which has been loosened from the skin and the center scooped out and filled with brandied cherries. The whole is sweetened and served ice cold.

To make a successful rarebit buy the newest, mildest cheese possible, one pound being enough for four persons. Cut it into small pieces half an inch square. Have the chafing dish ready, and drop them into it, sprinkling with a little salt and a little paprika. When the cheese begins to melt pour in a wineglassful of ale or stale beer. Stir constantly, and upon its reaching a creamy consistency take out and serve on thin pieces of toast, evenly browned, from which the crust has been removed, or on crisp crackers or wafers.

When baking a custard, set the dish in a dripping pan with a little water in it. It will prevent water collecting in the bottom of the custard.

MAN, WOMAN AND MARRIAGE.

From the Spinster Book.

Marriage appears to be somewhat like a grape. People swallow a great deal of indifferent good for the sake of the lurking bit of sweetness, and never know until it is too late whether the venture was wise.

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Women are unconscious queens of tragedy. Does her husband, distraught with business cares, leave her hurriedly and without the customary kiss? Woman on her way to market rapidly reviews similar instances in fiction in which this first forgetting proved to be "the little rift within the lute."

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The first time a woman cries after she is married she reads over all the love-letters the other men have written her, for a love-letter is something a tender-hearted woman cannot bring herself to destroy.

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Woe to the girl who gives a man a scarf-pin! When the bride returns the initial call that scarf-pin adds conspicuously to her adornment.

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A woman marries in the hope of having a lover and discovers too late that she merely has a boarder, who is most difficult to please.

POST DISPATCH SKETCH BOOK

THE POINT OF VIEW.

It depends altogether on the point of view.

On one of the coldest days of the present winter two men stood just inside the front door of a westbound Olive street car.



They were discussing the motorman.

"I wouldn't have his job for anything," said one of the men.

The motorman's appearance justified the remark. He seemed shivering even within his great fur coat. A pane of glass in the vestibule was broken and the cold wind blew against him cruelly. There was a coating of ice on his mustache.

As the car neared Garrison avenue the motorman espied two linemen at work at the top of a telegraph pole.

He gazed at them pityingly and as one of the two passengers on the front of the car passed across the front platform to get off the motorman smiled and, pointing to the linemen, said:

"No money could get me to take their job."

FOUND WHAT HE WANTED.

He was an elderly stockman, and he came into the big music house with the announcement that he had sold two car loads of cattle, and wanted to buy something to take home to the "folks." Incidentally, he showed the manager of the piano department a roll of more than $1000 in bills, and that expert salesman and shrewd judge of human nature decided he was a prospective customer worth paying some attention to.

The manager laid aside other business of some importance and started in to devote himself to the cattle shipper from the west. First he was taken into the piano showrooms, and instruments costing as much as $4000 were displayed. A pianist was called for, and several classical selections were rendered. The farmer said he was much pleased.

"That's mighty purty," he said, "but I guess I'd better let the wimin folks pick out their own piano some other time."

He looked at priceless old violins, and listened to the playing of the expert employed by the house, but he concluded finally that he didn't know enough about violins to invest. The bass viols and violoncellos were inspected without a sale being made, and then the party passed on to listen to the banjos, guitars and zithers. The cattle raiser was impressed, but still declined to purchase. Finally they drifted into the department where the miscellaneous odds and ends were displayed. Suddenly, as he looked, a flash of delight came into the eyes of the countryman.

"There, that's a jewsharp, ain't it?" he said. "I used to play one of them when I was a boy, and I could teach little Jim, I reckon. How much are they?"

"Twenty cents," said the sorrowing manager, who had spent three hours of his valuable time in going through the stock.

"Well, I'll jest take one," said the stockman. "I was bound I'd get something to take home with me."

THE SONG LINGERED ON.

Gladys' father bought a graphophone recently and Gladys asked Clarence, who has a lovely baritone voice, to gladden the interior of the instrument with his choicest selections.



Father was attending a high-ball function the evening Clarence called. When father stumbled in at a late hour, Clarence had already hied himself to his tenting place.

But Gladys and her friend, Gwendolyn, were in the music-room, drinking in the mechanical reproduction of the barytone solos.

Father concluded as he laboriously picked his way up the staircase, lamenting the absence of elevators in fashionable residences, that Clarence was playing a rather protracted engagement. He had forgotten about the new graphophone and never did fancy midnight serenades by his daughter's callers, anyhow.

But, not feeling confident of his oratorical abilities at that hour, he decided to reserve his reproof for a later day. With Clarence's favorite melody ringing in his ears, father fell into a hasty slumber.

Next morning, while he continued to slumber, Gladys and Gwendolyn again "turned on" the graphophone, and again Clarence's lovely voice was put to work. It flooded the parlors and percolated into realms above.

Gladys and Gwendolyn listened in blissful silence. Their awakening was rude in the extreme.

There was a commotion upstairs, a hasty opening of doors, a pattering of feet on the hallway carpet, and then a thunderous exclamation from the owner of a resonant bass voice.

It was father's.

"Great Jehovah!" he bellowed. "Is that baritone singer here yet?"

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, a grievance to ventilate, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss, or a public service to acknowledge, and who can put the idea into less than 100 words. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.)

Sauce for the Goose Desired.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

There seems to be no end of legislation these days in the interest of men, but who can recall any legislation recently passed in our state or municipality in the interest of women? I can't, for one, and my memory is rather keen, too.

Col. Snake Kinney, I see, has introduced a bill in the St. Louis House of Delegates making it illegal to wear hats in theaters. I make no objection to that. Woman's glory is her hair, and as the Hon. "Snake" does not offer to legislate our hair off our heads we shall still be fit to be seen. So pass the bill, Col. Kinney, but also give us one to protect the lady patrons of the playhouse. We are in the majority when you come to count up the matinee girls; give us a show at the good things the House of Delegates is handing out to the community.

We want a law that compels all men who drink whisky to change their breaths before they enter the theater and to change them without the use of "whisky killers," which produce a cure worse than the disease, and clove chewing between the intervals of going out must be barred. Musk is bad, but the odor of cloves is worse.

There must be a law preventing men from getting out between the acts unless they are on end seats. Woman must be protected from the fat men who try three or four times during an evening's performence to squeeze themselves through spaces not half their width.

If I had my way the Hon. "Snake" Kinney would be made to regret he ever got himself mixed up in law making in the restraint of woman.

Men are all right in their places, but when I begin to think on the laws that ought to be passed to regulate them I get so wild-eyed I cannot see the keys on my typewriter.

The ladies of St. Louis have always found the Post-Dispatch ready to champion their cause and expect it to bravely defend, even in the face of the strong influence in the downtown districts that Col. Kinney is supposed to wield.

St. Louis. MISS REMINGTON.

What Her "Dear Old Man" Does.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I am greatly interested in Intended Bride's letters and answers and should like to give my humble opinion. Most decidedly, I think it the man's place to get up and light the fire, especialy in the winter. It isn't the actual labor I look at, or mind. It is the thought of your husband's thoughtful love for his wife. I have been married seven years and my dear old man would no more think of letting me get up first than he would expect me to go downtown and make the living.

I think girls should fight shy of a man like Posible Groom, as I think he is one of those men who are very kind to themselves. My husband lights the fire, gets his own breakfast, and brings me a hot cup of tea before he goes in the morning. Nit, he does. A. LIAR

St. Louis.

From Fire Lighting to Wash Tub.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Who else should light the fire but the woman? But we have here in our midst men who are merely "old women" in disguise, and would submit to any indignity at the hands of our "new women."

I have quite a number of male friends who are married, and their advice to me has been to remain single, as women are not the same after the knot is tied. They feel as they ought to be petted and loved all the time, and above all they expect a man to make strenuous objections to their performing any household duties.

A few weeks ago I called at a friend's house, and to my surprise I found him at the washtub and washboard, washing garments I knew well belonged to none of the male members of the family. This same man has a grown daughter and a strong, healthy helpmate. What kind of wife will this girl make? Excuse me from such as she. I would suggest to the "Intended Bride" to remain single unless she can make up her mind to help her husband in every little way she can, and, above all, not to allow these petty differences to creep in and make her young life unhappy in the start. And I feel sure that if you are not feeling well in the morning your husband will make the fire and no doubt bring you your tea to bed.

Give me the quiet, affectionate woman who takes care of her home and never stops to question what are her duties or those of her husband in the house; one who will make life worth living for a man and make him forget the miserable boarding house and its unpleasant environments.

St. Louis. WEST END.

"Never Humor Your Husband."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please allow me a short space in your valuable paper to give "Intended Bride" a bit of advice.

No, indeed, no woman should make the morning fires, and there is no husband under the sun, with a fraction of principle, would ask such a thing of a dear wife. Never humor your husband by making the first fire, for if you do he will impose upon you to make the second. I wonder if F. G. C. has a wife? If so, how my heart aches for her when she has to make the first fires and then take her husband a cup of coffee. Poor wife! No doubt she has to earn the coffee for him also.

Intended Bride! I say it will be better for you to lead life's journey alone, than to become a bride and make yourself a slave for any man. SISEX.

St. Louis.

Men Who Promise Too Much.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I notice in answers to the question, "Who should build build fires," husband or wife, one man who signs himself "Your Bachelor Friend," and another, who signs himself K. W. W., says that husband should build fires. I wish to say that such "Mollies" as those two would make married life a misery for the simple reason they make such promises as building fires, washing dishes, scrubbing floors, making beds, feeding chickens, etc., to their intended brides; then, of course, the girl will expect them to do it after she marries them, and they will not do it. Neither did they have any notion of doing so when they made those promises.

My advice to girls is to look out for such men that promise to do the world for them after they are married.

Every girl or woman and man knows which is a man's work and which is a woman's. If men cannot get wives without making such foolish promises, it is better for them to remain single, which I fear they will. F. G. C.

St. Louis.

Neither Need Light Fire.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Having read with interest the letters of your Bachelor Friend (who knows nothing of married life and has very poor ideas about same) and also Daily Reader, and also Possible Groom, I would suggest they adopt a little contrivance of the undersigned and avoid all controversies as to who will build the morning fires—to wit, I have been using for a number of years in cold weather a device attached to a clock similar to an alarm. Fix your fire the evening previous, attach a small string to your alarm at any given hour, and when the alarm rings the string will be pulled and a match with sandpaper attachment will be lighted in the stove. Have a small tin whistle on the spout of your tea kettle, and when the whistle blows it is time to get out of bed, and you will find that you have a nice warm room and the water ready for your morning coffee. It works immense. WM. C. SHELDON.

St. Louis.

GENIUS AT WORK.

From the Literary Life.

It is said that Schiller, before composing, put his feet in cold water.

Guido Reno painted with much pomp. He dressed himself magnificently, and had his pupils attend him in silence ranged around him.

Sarti, the musician, composed only in darkness.

Michael Angelo, Leonardo da Vinci, Titian, Rubens, passed from the chisel to the pen or the brush. The change rested them from the preceding work; and thus, during long life, they accomplished marvelous works.

Some persons can think only standing, or in walking the room with swift strides. Some, like Montesquieu, compose in a post-chaise. One has need of complete isolation, profound calm; another of the open air and the noise of the crowd.

Buffon wrote in lace ruffles; Alexander Dumas in shirt sleeves.

Milton composed his "Paradise Lost" on a large armchair, with his head thrown back.

When Fox had eaten heartily he would retire to his study, envelop his head in a napkin soaked in vinegar and water, and work sometimes ten hours in succession.

Jeremy Bentham jotted his ideas on little squares of paper, which he piled upon each other, and this pile of little papers stitched together was the first forms of his manuscripts.

Napoleon had his particular mode of meditation and work. When he was not in council he stayed in his study, talked to himself and sung, or, like a child, cut the arms of his chair, then suddenly rousing up, would give the plan of a monument to be erected, or of one of the great military movements which astonished the world.

The historian, Meseray, would work only with a candle, even at midday and midsummer. He never failed to wait on his visitors, even to the street, with a candle in his hand.

Gretry, to animate himself when composing, breakfasted and took coffee, and then applied himself day and night to his piano.

Bossuet worked in a cold room, with his head warmly enveloped.

Pretty Little Pikers.

From the Louisiana (Mo.) Press.

Pike is heard from again. In a page of pictures of pretty children in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch Sunday, we notice the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mat G. Reynolds

THREE BURGLARS; ONE A WOMAN

Desperate Fight of Barrett Family With Night Marauders.

HAD PACKED ALL SILVERWARE

THE WOMAN STOOD COOLLY BY THROUGH RAIN OF BULLETS.

One of the Barretts Was Shot Through the Arm and the Woman and Her Accomplices Escaped Sans Booty.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Two burglars, one a woman and the other a man, surprised while packing up a big lot of silverware, engaged a family of three brothers in a desperate battle with pistols at an early hour today. Both burglars escaped. One of the brothers suffered a broken arm.

Early last night a heavily veiled woman was noticed walking back and forth in front of the home of Mrs. Mary Barrett, a wealthy widow living in the Bronx with her sons, Collin, Thomas and Harry. The family commented on the woman's strange actions, but retired about 10 o'clock as usual. Collin was awakened at midnight by noises on the first floor of the house. He called his brothers and all armed themselves with revolvers. Collin led the way downstairs. The door leading from the hall into the parlor was ajar, and through the opening he could see the shadows of two persons moving about in the parlor.

Woman and Man Confronted Him.

Without waiting for his brothers he entered. Confronting him was the woman in black. By her side was a man, his face covered with a mask.

Collin raised his revolver and ordered the couple to hold up their hands. The woman turned with pistol in hand.

At the same instant the man wheeled around. The male burglar pressed his revolver over Collin's heart and just as he was about to pull the trigger young Barrett side-stepped and the bullet pierced his arm, fracturing the bone. At the same time Collin sprang toward the man and grappled with him.

The burglar got the better of Collin, who sank to the floor and the pistol dropped from his nerveless hand. As his brothers entered the room the woman rushed to the side of her companion. Both coolly retreated.

One Bullet Put Out the Light.

"Stop!" shouted Thomas and Harry. For reply the man and woman fired several shots as quickly as they could pull the trigger of their revolvers. The Barrett brothers returned the fire, but so far as is known none of the shots took effect.

Bullets shattered bric-a-brac in the parlor, and one of the shots snuffed out the lamp in the hall. Under cover of darkness the man thrust the woman in front of him toward the open parlor window. She leaped to the ground, followed by her companion.

Thomas and Harry Barrett followed them out of the window. They ran across the lawn and passed through the gate into the street. The brothers had exhausted all the cartridges in their revolvers and gave up the chase as futile.

The woman acted with the greatest fearlessness throughout the ordeal. She followed her companion with all the freedom of an athlete.

When Thomas and Harry returned to the parlor they found Collin fainting on the floor. He was weak from loss of blood. Mrs. Barrett had remained upstairs, paralyzed with fright. A hurried search of the house after the brothers had reloaded their pistols. A sheet in which $1500 worth of silverware and bric-a-brac had been done up was found in the dining room.

LIVESTOCK EXHIBIT PLANS

National Association, Outlining Scope for World's Fair Managers, May Choose Aull Superintendent.

The World's Fair committee of the National Livestock Association met in executive session at the Planters' Hotel Friday morning to outline the plan and scope of the livestock exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition and to make recommendations of the method by which the agricultural committee shall manage the department.

The World's Fair company invited the association to co-operate with it at its annual meeting in St. Louis last fall.

The committee, at its present meeting, probably will urge the erection of a separate building for the exhibit.

It may also make a recommendation for superintendent of the exhibit. The committee is said to be divided between Robert Aull of St. Louis and a Chicago man.

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The cotillion was arranged by the entertainment committee, composed of John J. Schlange, Joseph Buse, A. Mueller, Richard Banks, Paul Bender, William Giraldin and J. H. J. Conrades, Jr. The committee was assisted by Mmes. Henry Buse, William A. Giraldin, William H. Dittman and Theodore Conrades.

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M. and T. Korte, 1014 N. 9th; girl.
O. and F. Ruby, 1400 N. 8th; boy.
A. and A. Steinberg, 920 O'Fallon; boy.
A. and M. London, 1216 N. 8th; girl.
H. and C. Krueger, 1022 Whittier; boy.
F. and D. Knittel, 2338 Salena; boy.
M. and A. Flynn, 1400 St. Louis; girl.
J. and M. Costello, 3626 Clark; boy.
W. and K. Illey, 3617 Cozens; boy.
F. and M. Hagerman, 3654 Pine; girl.
J. and Lelly, 3758 Gravois; boy.
W. and L. Rogan, 3066 Kensrig; boy.
T. and M. Derby, 2216 S. 7th; boy.
P. and K. Phelan, 1902 S. 14th; boy.
H. and R. Kraps, 2107 S. Broadway; boy.
J. and M. Doering, 2611 S. 18th; girl.
J. and A. Ayster, 1102 Gano; boy.
D. and E. Zacker, 5211A Page; boy.

The Cause of the Excitement.

The Great Sale of Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats. Globe, 7th and Franklin av. See page 5.

Burial Certificates.

Irene T. Lehl, 1 month, 1323 Arsenal; spasms.
L. M. Johnson, 80, 1318 S. 8th; suicide.
S. J. Hawley, 39, 4042 Cook; suicide.
O. H. Berry, 35, 3619 Easton; dilatation of heart.
Rosalia Wraumann, 27, 4162 Natural Bridge; phthisis.
Margaret Mora, 23, Sacred Heart Convent; heart disease.
Viola Wraumann, 2, 3229 Benton; nephritis.
W. McDougall, 56, 1318 Madison; bronchitis.

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ARCANUMITES HOLD JUBILEE

Compton Hill Council's Membership League, at a Banquet, Celebrates Reaching the Goal of 1000 Members.

Compton Hill Council, No. 555, Royal Arcanum, was represented by about 125 of its 1000 members at the second annual banquet of its Membership League at the Breitling Cafe Thursday night.

This Membership League is an organization unique in local secret society life. Less than two years ago it was organized, for the purpose of increasing the membership of Compton Hill Council. The council then had about 700 members. The goal was 1000. The league was counted upon to assist the council to reach the goal.

President F. M. Schreiner of the league, who was toastmaster at the banquet, announced in his opening remarks that the council a ready has passed the 1000 mark, which makes it by far the largest council in the Royal Arcanum west of the Mississippi river.

There are about 25 councils of this order in St. Louis, but all have ceased trying to surpass Compton Hill in membership. Compton Hill includes among its members many prominent citizens, including Chief of Police Mathew Kiely, former Judge Klein and others well known in official life.

A. S. Robinson, supreme vice-regent of the order and probably the next supreme regent, is a member of Compton Hill.

The plan adopted by the Membership League is simple but effective. Every member joining the league pledges himself to bring in one new council member or pay $2 forfeit. If he brings in a new member he is an invited guest at the banquet. If he fails he pays $2 for the privilege of sitting at the board.

The league has 160 members. Ninety-nine men paid the forfeit Thursday night. Some of the others had added several members each to the council. Among the latter is President Schreiner, who, though a new Arcanumite, is one of the most zealous workers.

The other officers of the league are C. G. Cookerly, vice-president; J. E. Williams, secretary, and O. J. Weber, treasurer.

Among the speakers at the banquet were Supreme Vice-Regent Robinson, Grand Regent L. J. Meiser, Grand Vice-Regent F. H. Bacon, Past Regent E. O. Greer, Past Regent C. O. Fischer and Regent E. J. Gould.

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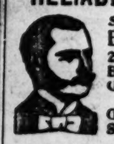
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pulitzer Publishing Co. will be held at the office of the company, No. 513 Olive street, in city of St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, Jan. 20, 1902, convening at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

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D. W. WOODS, Secretary.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 3, 1902.

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ADMINISTRATORS' SALES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, Jan. 18, 1902, at 12 o'clock m., at the east front door of the courthouse, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., pursuant to the orders of the Probate Court, St. Louis city, I will sell the following described personal property of the estate of Alonzo F. Steigers, deceased, at public vendue, for cash, to-wit:

34 notes of one Hugo Herfurth, aggregate principal	$1,500 00
2 notes of the Albermarle Lumber Co., aggregate principal	1,000 00
Due bill of said company, secured for	200 00
Due bill of Margaret L. Kingsley	40 00
30 shares of the Jeffrey Mfg. Co., par values	3,000 00
750 shares of the Atmospheric Motor Co. of the United States	7,500 00
22 8-10 shares of the Atmospheric Railway and Tower Co. of the United States, par value	1,140 00
525 shares of the Albermarle Lumber Co.	1,050 00

All of which is fully described in the inventory of said estate.

WM. C. STEIGERS, Administrator.

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630 shares of the Meriam Machine Co., par value	$6,300 00
200 shares of same company, par value	2,000 00
100 shares of the Wanamaker Car Seal Co., par value	1,000 00
100 shares of same company, par value	1,000 00
40 shares St. Louis Exposition and Music Hall Association, par value	1,000 00

Also the outstanding accounts of said estate, a list of which can be seen upon application to the undersigned. All of the above is fully described in the inventory of said estate.

LOUISA BURKART, Administratrix.

PUGILISM, BASEBALL, BOWLING, REVOLVER SHOOTING, TURF

SPORTING COMMENT

BY J. E. WRAY.

The tangled skein of baseball affairs is as far from being straightened out as it was weeks ago. It is, perhaps, even in worse shape at the present time, for at the outset of the trouble there was strong hope that Spalding might be able to carry out his threats promptly and reinvigorate the effete National League.

It appears that the hope was unfounded, and so far as action is concerned, that Mr. Spalding is impotent.

It may be different, but what he has accomplished does not justify the belief. Of course the gods do not reveal the workings of their plans; neither do gum-shoe baseball magnates.

It therefore is possible that Albert I may be working like the mole, below the surface. Like the mole, too, he may be "going it blind." It is more probable that he is the innocent tool of wiser heads than that he is working out plans too deep for the superficial to grasp.

Mr. Dreyfuss, at least, though once a Spalding man, is working around to this opinion. Dreyfuss is announced as having issued an ultimatum to Spalding stating that if the quasi president of the National did not get a move on very soon he (Dreyfuss) will quit the old league entirely and line up with the National.

He has given Spalding hours, it is stated, after which time has expired he will do as so many Natnoial League players have—"flop."

That will be all that is wanting to the cup of National League bitterness. Ban Johnson has long looked with a covetous eye on the Smoky City baseball prospect, and if he could break into that place with the team which last season won the National League pennnant the good old organization might as well say amen and give up its ghost—assassinated by the rank folly of every magnate connected with the league.

A requiem and shroud have not yet been ordered, for it is several months before the opening of the baseball season and spring is the period for renewing life. If Spalding can stave off the restlessness of his following and keep his cohorts in line he may still bring about that mysterious something which it is hoped he has in mind.

It is rumored that the Chicago man does not care very much whether he has Freedman and Brush with him or not and that he is proposing to organize a new league of his own.

The possibility puts another kink in the tangle.

It looks as if the only way out of the difficulty were to cut the kinks—Dreyfuss promises to start that method.

ST. LOUIS PUGILISTS.

St. Louis pugilists appear to be gaining a foothold in the outside world, especially in Chicago. Clarence Richie has fought two battles there within a week, and Bob Douglass is due to go on tonight with Tim Murphy

It is another proof of the old story so often told on St. Louis that its athletes have to earn a name outside before they can get home recognition.

Perhaps Richie and Douglass are unfortunate selections to put up as home talent. Richie was put out in the first round of his second Chicago fight, which was with a third-rater, and Douglass has been whipped by many who have no rating at all. Both men, however, are considered good enough to go on at Chicago.

Perhaps if they stay there long enough to acquire foreigh diplomas they may prove drawing cards when they return to St. Louis.

"Let Fitzsimmons name a meeting place and Delaney will do the rest," says Champion James J. Jeffries at Philadelphia, apropos of the arrangement of a match between him and the former champion.

The statement is encouraging—it puts the responsibility up to somebody and we now know that the somebody is Fitzsimmons. If the match is not now arranged it will be he Red and because he does not want a fight.

The Jeffries people state that they would like to have a good big side bet out of Fitz, but if they cannot get it, why they will be content to arrange a battle without a penny wagered.

Jeffries says he talk has made him weary and he wants to settle all this dispute about championship.

Jeffries is not the only one who is weary.

YOUNG CORBETT IS CHALLENGED

One R. Smolik Offers Champion $100 If He Fails to Stay Four Rounds.

R. Smolik, whose fame as a fighter has hitherto been hidden from the public, is out with an offer to give William Rothwell (Young Corbett) $100 if he fails to stay four rounds with the featherweight champion

Mr. Smolik was moved to make the offer after reading an account of the intention of Young Corbett to spar four rounds with all comers during his appearance in the city at the Imperial Theater.

Smolik says he is only 5 feet 11 inches high and weighs 135 pounds. He adds that he will agree to stay the four rounds or do better and guarantees $100 if he fails.

He specifies Marquis of Queensbury rules, three-minute rounds and gloves to weigh not over five ounces. He also expects a contribution in the way of $500 from Young Corbett in case the latter fails to stop him.

Smolik's address is not attached to the communication in which he makes known his desires. The only R. Smolik in the directory resides at 3721 Texas avenue, and it is presumed that eager promoters will be thronging the vicinity of that place.

Young Corbett will arrive in the city Friday evening at 9:30. Presumably he will arrange a match with Mr. Smolik before he eats his supper.

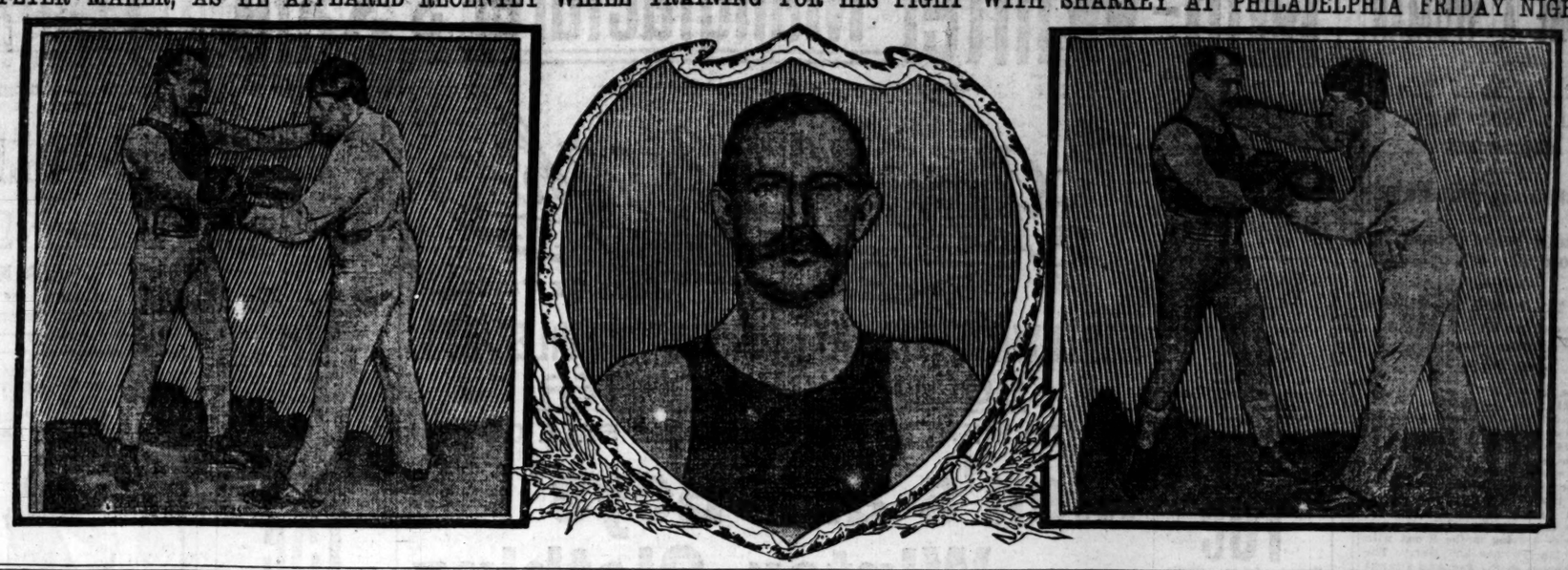
PUGILISTIC NOTES.

The Olympic Athletic Club may soon be resuscitated by Joe Cappels, formerly identified with association football.

Rube Fens and Tommy Ryan were matched at Kansas City yesterday to box 20 rounds before the club offering the best inducements. A $500 forfeit was posted by each man. The articles of agreement stipulate that the contest occur within 90 days.

Jim Jeffords of California quit in the third round of his battle with Al Weinig at Philadelphia last night. Weinig had the better of the contest up to the time. Jeffords offered no reasons for stopping.

PETER MAHER, AS HE APPEARED RECENTLY WHILE TRAINING FOR HIS FIGHT WITH SHARKEY AT PHILADELPHIA FRIDAY NIGHT



MAHER HOPES TO REGAIN LAURELS

Would Win Back Irish Championship From Sharkey at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—Peter Maher, who is to try conclusions with Tom Sharkey in a six-round bout before the Central Athletic Club, in this city, tonight, is in as fine condition as he has ever been in his life.

The Irishman fully realizes that a victory over Sharkey means a new lease of life for him in pugilism, and on that account he has been training hard to acquire good condition to beat Sharkey if possible.

Another incentive which has made Peter work hard is the fact that the winner of the bout will be adjudged the champion of Ireland, which title both he and Sharkey have long laid claim to.

Ever since their battle was interrupted by the police at the defunct Palace A. C., in New York, several years ago, Maher has always had an idea that he could beat the ex-sailor, and intends making good his boast when he meets him in the ropeu arena tonight.

Every morning since the match was arranged Maher has risen at an earlier hour than was his wont, and with his trainers by his side he has run over Fairmount Park's macadamized roads for several miles. Again in the afternoon he has gone through the same work, with the result that at the present ime he is in splendid shape.

His exhibition bouts in the morning and afternoon clearly show his condition, and he goes at his trainers with blows which at times compel them to beg of Peter to let up.

He still has the same wonderful force in his blows which has sent many a good man to the boards, and his followers are so sanguine that he will defeat Sharkey they intend to bet a great deal of money on him.

Pete Lowery, manager of Maher, is so much impressed with the latter's condition that he is making all kinds of boasts about how quick Peter will put Sharkey in dreamland. In speaking of Maher's chances Lowery says:

"It would not surprise me to see Peter knock Sharkey out with the first blow he lands on him. Maher is in as good shape as he could possibly acquire in the short time he has had to train for the fight.

"Besides being in first-class condition, he is as spry on his feet as I have ever seen him, and with that nimbleness he is able to punch as hard as he ever did in any of his fights. Peter, in the first place, is cleverer than Sharkey, and as the Sailor will no doubt make a rushing fight of it Maher is just as liable to land one of his terrific punches on Sharkey's jaw in the first round as he is at any other time during the battle.

"Peter is anxious to win, as it will make him the legitimate champion of Ireland, and give him the chance to fight Jeffries for the championship of the world."

CYCLING RECORDS SMASHED

Four Teams in Six-Day Race Ahead of Old Mark for Thirty-Two Hours.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—World's records are being broken hourly at the six-day bicycle grind in progress at the Second Regiment Armory here. The smashing started at the eighteenth hour of Tuesday's racing, and continued until the close of the day's contest, when the four leading teams were 17 3-5 miles ahead of the world's best figures for two hours on a 12-lap track.

Gougoltz' work is attracting the attention of all, as he is on the track almost continuously, owing to the illness of his partner. All of the men injured in the spill of Wednesday were on the track Thursday.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS.

McEachern and Monroe	677
Freeman and Maro	677
Gougoltz and Wilson	677
Leander and Ruiz	677
Chevalier and Fisher	676
Hadfield and King	676.9
Mueller and Barclay	676.1

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WRIGHT DEFEATED THOMAS.

Won Three-Cushion Billiard Tournament at the Grand by 13 Points.

Tom Wright won the three-cushion billiard tournament game at the Grand, Thursday night, from Dr. Thomas. Score, 40 to 27. Thomas started out poorly, while Wright went out from the start and counted regularly. When Thomas finally settled down to work, Wright was well ahead and gained to the end. George Hevner and Dr. Thomas will play Friday night. Score:

Wright (40)—0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2 0 2 0 0 1
3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 2 2 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0
0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0
0 0 1 1 0 2 0 2 4 0 1 0 0 1—Total, 40; average, .38; high run, 3.

Thomas (40)—1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0
0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 2 1 0
0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 1
0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—Total, 27; average, .26; high run, 3.

A Cure for Sick Pocketbooks.

The Great Sale of Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats, Globe, 7th and Franklin av. See page 5.

"EXPERT" POLICE SHOTS SELECTED

Officer Wells Heads Marksmen, but McNamee Disputes Claim.

"EXPERT" SHOTS OF POLICE FORCE.

Officer Wells, Second district	2124
Capt. McNamee, Mounted	2122
Longsworth, Central	2116
Dryden, Ninth	2106
Hasson, Fourth	2104
R. Thompson, Mounted	2083
Reeves, Tenth	2078
Shipp, Central	2076
Jeans, Sixth	2071
N. Phillips, Sixth	2048
Ball, Sixth	2038
Gibbons, Mounted	2025
Spratt, Tenth	2020
Hancock, Seventh	2004
Lee, Mounted	1979
P. Thompson, Central	1954
Joplin, Central	1934
Craig, Tenth	1928
Minden, Second	1909
Sergt. Logan, Tenth	1896
Degnan, Fifth	1844
Borden, Mounted	1904
Sergt. Nolte, Tenth	1880
M. Comer, Tenth	1880
Cabanne, Mounted	1870
Sergt. King, Tenth	1868
Sergt. Straughan, Third	1842
Sears, Central	1816
Race, Central	1811
Sergt. Schaeffer, Second	1811
Combs, Central	1805
Sweetin, Ninth	1804

Thirty-four members of the police force constitute the "expert" class in the revolver tournament, according to the results of the 10 days' shooting closed yesterday. According to the official score book, Officer Wells of the Second district leads the entire force with a score of 2124 for 100 shots. Capt. McNamee of the mounted district, who is rated second in the score book, with a tally of 2122, thinks a mistake has been made in entering his shots and will have the targets examined again. A difference of 20 points is claimed by the captain between his registered and his actual score and the mistake, when located, will entitle him to first place honors.

Capt. McNamee's scores will be investigated by Capt. Schaaf and Drillmaster Roemer. Longsworth of the Central finished in third place, with Paul Dryden of the Ninth in fourth place.

The 34 men selected as the experts of the force have been sifted out by continual practice for three months from the entire force from captains to officers. The last shoot extended over a period of 10 days and was participated in by 88 men. Of these 34 were chosen and the remainder will be placed in a second class.

Beginning at once another shoot of six days will be inaugurated in the expert class to determine the members of the team which will represent St. Louis in the telegraphic shooting events with Chicago, New York and possibly San Francisco.

At the end of six days the team, probably one of 24 men, will be made up according to the work of the contestants.

All officers competing in the finals will fire at a two-inch bull's eye at a distance of 35 feet. The bull's eye is divided into concentric rings, the innermost counting 25, the next 24, and so on. A shooter might be in the black all the time and still have far from a perfect score.

Capt. Schaaf is confident that his team can defeat anything in the country after the practice they have had.

Officer Hasson led in the closing competition of Thursday with a score of 230. Officers Cabbane and Gibbons did excellent work, scoring 225 each.

C. B. C. TOURNAMENT GAMES.

Four Billiard and Two Handball Games Played Off at the College.

Four billiard games were played Thursday in the tournament now continuing at Christian Brothers' College. In the opening game Hudgings won from Wehinger, 31 to 20. Daugherty and Shoonover played the second string, the former winning, 34 to 26. Thobbald defeated Bennet in the third game, 34 to 25, and Turner ran away from Crawford in the last contest, score 34 to 7.

In the handball tournament a single and a double contest made up the programme Tom Tuener winning the former from Go-ders, score 21 to 14, and Hamilton and Donolive defeating Jackson and Turner in the doubles, 21 to 7.

Both tournaments will be continued Friday.

WANTS TO MEET JENKINS.

Dan McLeod Would Wrestle for Championship Again.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 17.—Dan McLeod, the wrestler, was in this city last night. He said he was willing to meet Tom Jenkins in a return match for the championship, and is not averse to having the contest in Cleveland.

Jenkins and McLeod met in an exciting struggle here a few weeks ago and Jenkins won after McLeod had gained one fall on him. McLeod has never been quite satisfied with the outcome of that match and seeks another trial with the champion.

PASSING OF COLORED JOCKEYS MARKED FOR THE NEAR FUTURE



NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—The day of the colored jockey is waning. Of the old guard, numbering Sims, Perkins, Hamilton, Clay, Ray and others, not to mention the king of them all, Isaac Murphy, as its members, but two of note are now actively in the field—Winkiefield and Blake.

There are other colored boys riding in races at various tracks in the country, but between them and Blake there is a seemingly impassible chasm. The two stand out as the leaders of their race among the jockeys and hold their field alone.

There are no colored jockeys in making at the present time. Colored boys are not being given the opportunities they were a few years ago.

This circumstance cannot be attributed to prejudice. A racing establishment partakes somewhat of the features of a family. Its members are thrown closely together. As the two races do not mix at close quarters, the head of the institution will have all of one kind.

Under these circumstances the gradual exclusion of the negro is inevitable.

The mold of Isaac Murphy, Sims, Perkins, Ray and other stars has been broken. The colored jockey is out of print, and Winkfield and Blake are rare editions.

There is no color prejudice against the colored jockey if he can ride. He can get mounts, and good ones. It is in the making of jockeys that the changed conditions lie.

Material out of which Murphys, Perkins and Clays might be made is lying around loose, but it cannot be handled conveniently. That is the only thing that stands in the way of the preservation of the colored jockey.

That the obstacle will be overcome, however, is not generally believed, and Winkfield and Blake, now riding at the local track, are probably the last of a great band that will have no successors.

CARR'S HIGH SCORE BREAKS THE RECORD

In a Game of Tenpins at the Grand He Sets a New Mark.

Robert E. Carr, captain of one of the Buffalo teams, made a remarkable score on the Grand alleys Thursday. In five games of tenpins he scored 289, 264, 254, 253 and 247. This is a new record for the Grand, and with Kuppinger as his teammate he has a grand chance for a prize at Buffalo.

In a contest on the Courthouse alleys Thursday World's Fair team defeated the Imperials at tenpins by a score of 2 to 1. Hohengarten and Kern and Bohn and Schopp were the leading players. Summaries:

WORLD'S FAIRS.

Name.	B.	E.	1.	2.	3.	T'l.	Av.
Mueller	5	6	126	188	158	472	157 1-3
Voorster	4	4	190	193	125	508	169 1-3
Dust	3	2	160	178	167	505	168 1-3
Hohengarten	6	5	188	137	185	510	170
Kern	7	2	169	161	209	539	179 2-3
Totals	25	19	833	867	844	2534	168 14-15

IMPERIALS.

Name.	B.	E.	1.	2.	3.	T'l.	Av.
Bohn	2	4	169	188	172	529	176 1-3
Shlitte	3	10	159	171	175	505	168 1-3
Langenburg	4	11	115	128	162	405	135
Barker	2	5	171	140	181	492	164
Schoipp	2	1	180	185	216	581	193 2-3
Totals	31	31	794	812	906	2512	167 7-15

On its own alleys the team of the Cabanne Club seems invincible. In a match with Carr's Buffalo team on Thursday they won two games out of three. Strain, with an average of 201 1-3, led the Cabannes, and Kuppinger was the star of the Buffaloes. Summaries:

CABANNE CLUB.

Name.	B.	E.	1.	2.	3.	T'l.	Av.
Rautenberg	4	4	161	211	180	552	184
Strain	3	1	198	198	208	604	201 1-3
Stone	4	4	183	164	166	513	171
Wilder	1	4	215	214	159	588	196
Williams	4	1	200	198	193	591	197
Totals	17	14	957	985	906	2848	189 13-15

CARR'S "BUFFALOS."

Name.	B.	E.	1.	2.	3.	T'l.	Av.
Carr	4	3	175	168	176	519	173
Rathbun	2	10	147	161	145	438	151
Maley	1	4	208	201	172	576	192
Keppler	5	5	118	182	201	501	167
Kuppinger	5	2	187	163	222	572	190 2-3
Totals	17	22	835	813	916	2627	175 2-15

AMATEUR BOWLERS CONTEST.

The Novices will meet the Stoll Bros. at the Courthouse alleys on Saturday night at 8 o'clock, Jan. 18, 1902. The Novices will line up as follows: A. Hoff, L. Hoff, C. Kuehling, H. Boeckler and J. Grosse, captain. The Stoll Bros. will line up as follows: E. Juengel, A. Bertram, Sam Miller, H. Landolt and A. Stoll, captain.

An exciting game is expected, as both clubs have good team averages. This will open the second series of games between the Novices and the Stolle Bros. The Novices were the winner in the last series.

NEW BALL LEAGUE WITH EIGHT TEAMS

Spalding May Organize It, Taking in St. Louis, Chicago and Cincinnati.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—The latest move in the baseball field is said to be a new league with A. G. Spalding as its official head.

It is announced that if Dreyfus decided to transfer the Pittsburg Club from the National to the American, Spalding will undoubtedly organize a new league, and that New York will not be included in its circuit.

Spalding, with the aid of Hart, Reach and Rogers, according to the program, will organize a new eight-club league, made up of Brooklyn, Boston, Philadelphia and Washington in the East, and Chicago, Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis in the West.

HARRY HAWES RE-ELECTED

Entire Regular Ticket of the Jefferson Club Chosen Without Any Opposition.

Harry B. Hawes was unanimously re-elected president of the Jefferson Club Thursday night at the annual election when the entire regular ticket went through without opposition.

The other officers selected are Lieutenant-Governor John A. Lee, first vice-president, succeeding Robert H. Kern; Thomas C. Hennings, second vice-president; William J. Flynn, third vice-president; Otis P. Mallard, secretary; T. R. Ballard, treasurer; Jerry Sheehan, sergeant-at-arms; Edward Butler, William Druhe, Breckenridge Jones, Eugene P. O'Fallon, A. C. Steuver, William H. Swift and Zach W. Tinker, directors. Mr. Tinker succeeds Joseph F. Dickman.

At a meeting of the directors immediately after the election, Mr. Mallard resigned as secretary, on the ground that his duties as deputy supply commissioner are too onerous to permit him to fill both offices. John T. Fitzsimmons, deputy coroner, was chosen to succeed him.

"Biggest and Best."

The American Newspaper Directory, Geo. P. Rowell & Co., New York, issued a list of papers, one from each state, selected by them, upon investigation, as the largest circulated paper in the state. The St. Louis Post-Dispatch, as everybody knows, has the post of honor for the state of Missouri in this list. George P. Rowell & Co. might have truthfully added, the largest in any state between the Mississippi river and Pacific ocean.

MEYER BROS. BEAT MOUND CITY PAINTS

Take Two Out of Three Cocked-Hat Games at Acme Alleys.

In the Druggists' League the Meyer Bros. and Mound City Paints had a set-to on the Acme alleys Thursday and the former won, 3 to 2. It was a lively game, and Docker and Spalding led the winners, while Kahre excelled for the losers, with Hobbs and Neu tied for the place.

MEYER BROS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Bruen	13	18	43	30	43	43	51	221	44 1-5
Niss	6	28	35	50	54	33	42	243	48 3-5
Spalding	8	24	66	41	57	71	63	296	59 3-5
Graham	7	37	43	36	57	33	34	203	40 3-5
Decker	7	22	47	59	52	40	90	368	51 3-5
Totals	36	124	251	226	263	220	280	1223	48 23-25

MOUND CITY "PAINTS."

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Hobbs	7	24	66	50	51	47	35	249	49 4-5
Waldeck	5	38	53	37	30	44	59	223	44 3-5
Roemer	10	37	43	40	41	43	27	200	40
Neu	5	19	45	65	44	57	38	249	49 4-5
Kahre	4	10	51	50	58	50	65	274	54 4-5
Totals	31	128	208	248	224	241	224	1196	47 20-25

J. S. Merrells and Searle & Hereths clashed on the Crescent alleys Thursday, the former having an easy victory by 4 to 1.

Pauge and Nay did the best work for the winners and Reisse and Enderle were high men for the losers. Summaries:

J. S. MERRELLS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Delkeskamp	6	26	37	41	38	43	45	209	41 4-5
Knipe	3	29	42	50	33	45	45	223	42 4-5
Nay	6	23	46	44	43	45	45	223	44 3-5
Pauge	9	27	49	42	46	45	54	236	47 1-5
David	13	19	37	54	40	48	35	214	42 4-5
Totals	37	124	211	231	200	231	223	1096	43 21-25

SEARLE & HERETHS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Reisse	2	29	53	59	44	46	50	261	52 1-5
Temm	3	43	38	46	36	45	37	202	40 2-5
Davenport	6	50	28	33	37	32	39	169	33 4-5
Ries	5	34	38	50	33	32	34	187	37 2-5
Enderle	5	17	47	51	46	39	46	229	45 4-5
Totals	21	173	204	239	196	194	215	1048	41 23-25

In an exciting contest on the Royal alleys Thursday the Moffitt-Wests won the odd game from the Herf and Frerichs, score 3 to 2. Root and Woehrlein and Schrall and Ernst were the leading pairs. Summaries:

MOFFITT-WESTS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Root	4	28	89	41	50	46	54	230	47
Woehrlein	3	23	42	38	32	60	55	242	48 2-5
Habegger	4	47	38	35	31	32	37	173	34 3-5
Schneider	2	28	45	58	48	40	34	220	44
Assman	7	28	42	39	26	43	60	217	43 2-5
Totals	32	148	206	218	197	223	240	1087	43 13-25

HERF & FRERICHS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Schall	7	22	62	32	37	37	27	215	43
Ernst	4	22	43	54	41	47	44	229	45 4-5
Zahn	1	43	45	33	42	46	32	198	39 2-5
Heibig	11	23	46	45	41	34	34	200	40
Kuns	8	29	33	40	31	30	40	206	40 2-5
Totals	31	146	284	204	192	223	187	1040	41 15-25

O'Fallons and Monarchs rolled a match game on Berchi's alleys Thursday and resulted in a 3 to 2 victory for the Monarchs. The Monarchs will claim all five games because Glessow was not a member of the O'Fallon's team. Summaries:

MONARCHS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Soeder	7	25	39	49	39	49	47	223	44 3-5
G. Oberbeck	5	39	39	41	47	43	38	208	41 3-5
Rowe	4	25	51	31	44	43	43	231	46 1-5
Frewer	9	22	40	52	58	46	39	215	43
E. Oberbeck	9	25	41	50	53	37	32	233	46 3-5
Totals	34	136	210	223	241	218	213	1110	44 10-25

O'FALLONS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Glessow	6	34	38	50	36	46	51	221	44 1-5
Berchi	2	34	26	44	31	29	45	175	35
Doeker	9	25	25	51	40	52	39	216	43 1-5
Mann	4	26	39	35	57	44	50	225	45
Cosle	4	24	48	45	34	39	44	210	42
Totals	24	163	179	225	204	210	229	1047	41 22-25

On Pueser's alleys Thursday the High Rollers gave a sound drubbing to the Magnets by winning five consecutive games. Scholl was the star player of the winners, closely followed by Poettgen. Stock led the Magazines, with Oberbeck second. Summaries:

HIGH ROLLERS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Reinert	4	32	28	35	01	35	53	215	42 3-5
Hefel	6	22	40	44	58	41	39	222	44 2-5
Quitnow	7	26	40	40	31	45	41	2?0	40
Poettgen	814	43	46	46	57	45	52	287	47 2-5
E. Scholl	8	53	51	51	46	47	248	49 3-5
Totals	36	102	204	216	248	227	226	1130	44 20-25

MAGAZINES.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Le Grand	9	41	31	37	30	40	74	171	34 1-5
H. Oberb'k	3	33	43	44	45	40	39	211	42 1-5
Stock	3	37	54	29	41	43	41	218	44 3-5
Hartmann	8	33	27	37	48	32	48	191	38 1-5
Diekmann	5	42	34	43	33	35	41	188	37 3-5
Totals	28	186	186	187	200	205	201	979	39 14-25

FORRESTS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Webb	9	43	33	43	39	40	28	183	36 3-5
Edington	4	53	30	31	35	44	35	175	35
Blind			26	26	25			77	
Treber	8	14				44	44	88	44
Timberlake	5	42	41	31	35	29	36	172	34 2-5
Rable	8	47	33	31	47	39	34	174	34 4-5
Totals	29	199	162	160	180	176	185	843	34 13-25

Carsmen and Louisianas of the W. R. C. League clashed in a series on Thursday night, and the former had a hollow victory, winning by 4 to 1. In the fourth game Ameiss made 82. Bastian led the losers. Summaries:

CARSMEN.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Schilling	8	31	41	47	55	61	49	253	50 3-5
Ameiss	5	30	56	44	43	32	54	279	55 4-5
Korte	4	30	39	54	61	44	44	242	48 2-5
Becker	3	45	53	34	43	54	60	235	47
Habenicht	6	19	54	39	53	50	45	241	48 1-5
Totals	21	175	234	225	240	291	253	1248	49 13-25

LOUISIANAS.

Name.	C.	M.	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	T'l.	Av.
Klipel	5	31	42	68	57	45	29	280	46 3-5
Lwenstein	11	51	56	40	37	38	31	203	41
Walther	5	53	44	47	45	58	48	215	43
Mennel	4	43	44	41	51	41	50	227	45 2-5
Bastian	10	20	33	55	41	64	46	239	47 4-5
Totals	34	201	219	252	225	224	199	1119	44 19-25

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WHILE CHICAGO LOST WHEAT AND CORN ADVANCED HERE.

WHEAT UP OVER ONE CENT

May Wheat Sold Up to 87 7-8c After Selling Off on Rain Predictions for Winter Wheat States.

St. Louis led the grain markets today. While Chicago closed lower than yesterday, St. Louis recorded a gain of 1@1¼c. The spot market was very strong and No. 2 red wheat sold at 90c.

An advance in wheat and corn at the opening this morning was met by heavy selling, which put the market ⅛@¼c below yesterday before there was a rally. The foreign markets were stronger, and there was fair outside buying.

The early selling was on predictions that rain or snow would fall tomorrow in Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas, Illinois, Missouri and Wisconsin. St. Louis cut away from the early break which sent wheat down to 86⅝c. It was said that the speculators were buying for shipment soon. As receipts are falling off and the local stocks diminishing, there was a rush to buy. Early sellers were forced to cover. May wheat went up to 87⅞c and closed with a gain of 1@1¼c. There was an improved spot demand for corn. The May options advanced with wheat to 65⅞c and closed ½@⅝c higher than yesterday.

Liverpool opened with wheat up ¼d and corn unchanged. Wheat remained steady and corn gained ¼d. The market closed with wheat unchanged and corn ¼d higher than yesterday. Antwerp was unchanged and Paris unchanged to ¼c higher. The English and French country markets were quiet.

New York reported a lighter export demand. It was said that the big sales yesterday and today were for Jan. and Feb. shipment.

The winter wheat movement was light, St. Louis receiving 13,025 bu, compared with 34,073 bu a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth received 414 cars, 164 more than the same day last year. The primary receipts showed an increase of 75,642 bu. Export buying was not so good as yesterday and the clearances were 474,000 bu.

The local wheat market opened with May up ⅛c at 87c. Selling to take profits put the price down to 86⅝c before there was a rally, which sent May up to 87⅛c. This advance was met by heavy selling, which sent the price down to 86⅞c. Then came a strong rally. Early sellers turned buyers and trading broadened. May went up to 87⅞c, 1⅛c above yesterday, and closed with a gain of 1@1⅛c at 87⅝@87¾c bid.

July opened ⅜c up, at 80⅜c, and sold off to 80c on light trading, rallied to 80¼c, dropped back to 80c, advanced to 80⅝c and closed with a gain of ⅝c at 80⅝c bid.

Receipts of wheat at primary points today were 527,642 bu, as compared with 449,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 117,010 bu, compared with 176,000 bu same date last year.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth today were 414 cars, as compared with 250 cars same date last year.

May wheat sold today at 87c, 87⅛c, 87c, 86⅞c, 86¾c, 86⅝@86⅞c, 86⅞c, 86⅝c, 86¾@86⅞c, 86⅞c, 87c, 87⅛c, 87⅛@87¼c, 87c, 87⅛c, 87@87⅛c, 87c, 86⅞c, 87c, 87@87⅛c, 87⅛@87¼c, 87⅛c, 87@87⅛c, 87⅛c, 87⅜@87⅛c, 87⅛c, 87⅛c, 87⅝c, 87⅝, 87⅝@87⅞c, 87⅝c, 87⅞@87⅝c, 87⅝c, 87⅝c, 87¾c, 87¾c, 87⅝@87⅞c, 87⅞c, 87⅜@87⅝c, 87⅝c, 87⅝c, 87⅞c, 87⅝@87⅝c, 87⅝c, 87⅝@87⅝c, 87⅝c, 87⅞c, 87⅝@87⅞c and 87⅝c.

July sales: 80⅛c, 80¼c, 80c, 80¼c, 80⅛c, 80c, 80⅛c, 80⅛c, 80⅝c, 80⅝c and 80⅝c.

St. Louis received 126,400 bu of corn, compared with 85,120 bu a year ago. The movement was not very good elsewhere and the primary receipts showed a decrease of 238,652 bu. The clearances were 164,000 bu.

The cash market here was very strong and after the corn futures had sold off in sympathy with the early break there was a strong rally. Speculative trading was very heavy.

May corn opened with a gain of ⅛c, at 65⅜c, advanced to 65⅛c and followed wheat down. May dropped to 65c and rallied to 65⅛c. The market reacted, May dropping back to 65⅛c. When wheat turned strong corn advanced to 65⅞c, fell back to 65⅛c and rallied to 65⅝@65⅞c, which was bid at the close, ½@⅝c above yesterday.

July corn opened with a loss of ⅛c, at 65c, dropped to 64⅞c and advanced to 65½c, closing with a gain of ⅜c, at 65⅝c.

Receipts of corn at primary points today were 417,348 bu, as compared with 656,000 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 305,472 bu, compared with 457,000 bu same date last year.

May corn sold today at 65⅜c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65@65⅛c, 65c, 65@65⅛c, 65c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65 c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛@65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅛c, 65⅝@65⅞c, 65⅝c, 65⅞c, 65⅞c, 65⅞c and 65⅝@65⅞c.

Chicago reported heavy speculation in oats, but trading in St. Louis was light. The market followed wheat and corn up. The primary receipts were 21,072 bu more than a year ago and the clearances were 22,000 bu.

May opened a shade off, at 46⅞c, and closed with a gain of ⅛@⅜c, at 47c bid.

July oats sold early at 39⅝c, ⅛c above yesterday, and closed with a gain of ⅛c, at 39⅝c bid.

Receipts of oats at primary points today were 403,304 bu, as compared with 382,232 bu same date last year.

Shipments, 371,947 bu, compared with 434,000 bu same date last year.

CASH GRAIN MARKETS.

Receipts of wheat at St. Louis today were 13,025 bu, compared with 34,073 bu a year ago. Of these 100 sacks and 16 cars were local, compared with 1277 sacks and 37 cars local and 2 cars through the same date a year ago.

The spot wheat offerings were light and the market was unchanged. No. 2 red sold east side at 89c, 89½c and 90c, and west side at 89c. No. 2 Nebraska hard sold west side at 80c and 2 cars delivered east side at 81c.

Receipts of corn at St. Louis today were 126,400 bu, compared with 85,120 bu a year ago. Of these 137 cars were local and 21 cars through, compared with 448 sacks and 78 cars local and 27 cars through the same date a year ago.

Though the offerings were large, the spot corn market was higher. No. 2 mixed was up ⅛c, selling east side at 63¼c and 64c and west side at 64c. No. 3 brought 63c to 63¼c west side and 63@63¼c east side. One car of No. 4 sold west side at 62½c. White corn was in splendid demand, No. 2 selling east side at 65⅝c to 66¼c and west side at 66c. No. 3 sold east side at 65¼c, 65⅝c and 66c. No. 2 yellow brought 64¼c and 64½c east side. Mixed and yellow ear corn brought 65c.

Receipts of oats at St. Louis today were 70,400 bu, compared with 44,400 bu a year ago. Of these 400 sacks and 50 cars were local and 7 cars through, compared with 23 cars local and 14 cars through the same date a year ago.

Trading in oats was light. No. 2 mixed sold west side at 48c. No. 2 white brought 48⅛c east side. One poor car of No. 3 brought 47½c switched east side and one car sold west side at 48⅛c. No. 4 sold east side at 47c and west side at 47¼c. One car of No. 3 color oats sold at 47⅝c west side.

Rye and Barley.

Receipts of rye at St. Louis were 750 bu; shipments, 1530 bu; market lower; No. 2 sold at 64c to arrive.

Barley—Receipts, 6000 bu; shipments, 1145 bu. Market nominally 65@67c.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Receipts, 7205 pigs; shipments, 3095 pigs. Zinc—Receipts, 1335 slabs; shipments, 7235 slabs. Lead market weak. Soft Missouri steady at $3.87½@3.90.

Spelter dull at $4.15@4.17½.

General Market Notes.

From Northwestern Miller: The flour output of Minneapolis mills was reduced last week to the extent of nearly 50,000 bbls. The quantity of flour ground during the week ending Saturday was 235,530 bbls, compared with 185,585 bbls in 1901 and 263,580 bbls in 1900. This week nine and one-half mills are idle and, though they are mostly of the smaller class, the effect will be very appreciable in the output. The 12½ mills running are grinding at the rate of 36,000 bbls per 24 hours, and if the total production of the week is 225,000 bbls it will fully meet expectations. Aside from a dull market there is not enough water power to drive all the mills and with their cost of steam, a preference is shown to shut down rather than run and use steam.

From Modern Miller: The drouth conditions which have prevailed so long in the winter wheat section west of the Mississippi river, extending as far south as Texas, continue unabated. Complaints are increasing from this territory that the crop is doing poorly. The prospects for winter wheat elsewhere continue favorable. Farmers in the hard winter wheat belt are still holding grain firmly, while fair deliveries are being made of soft winter wheat.

London: Wheat, off coast, nothing doing; on passage, steadier. Corn, off coast, nothing doing; on passage, rather easier.

Argentine grain shipments last week: Wheat, 36,000 bu, compared with 144,000 bu the previous week and 648,000 bu a year ago. Corn, 144,000 bu, compared with 176,000 bu the previous week and 112,000 bu a year ago. Flax, 842,000 bu, compared with 512,000 bu the previous week.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yest'day.	Year ago
Wheat	2,457,175	2,488,419	5,062,467
Corn	1,406,796	1,382,777	808,872
Oats	81,946	75,862	70,244
Rye	103,142	103,142	11,354
Barley	13,474	13,747	62,516
No. 2 red wheat	1,543,397	1,574,381	1,989,870
No. 2 hard	695,116	707,444	461,801
No. 2 mixed corn	676,346	677,346	107,507
No. 2 white	64,791	64,913	71,433
No. 2 mixed oats	43,477	41,958	......
No. 2 white	2,634	2,634	5,910
No. 2 rye	90,454	90,454	4,040
No. 2 yellow	119,205	118,488	......

Western Flour Movement.

	Receipts	Shipm'ts
St. Louis	4,255	6,583
Chicago	21,625	22,047
Detroit	400	400
Milwaukee	3,150	350
Minneapolis	......	46,617

Export Movements of Grain.

	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
New York	90,250	......	9,000	5,642
Baltimore	13,028	800	9,458	149,2[illegible]8
Philadel'a	8,846	5,551	3,[illegible]5	8,324
Boston	12,200	......	4,035	......
New Orleans	4,000	24,000	4,000	1,0[illegible]5

Western Movements of Grain.

	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
St. Louis	13,025	28,920	126,400	56,8[illegible]0
Chicago	91,575	34,720	97,051	12[illegible],[illegible]22
Toledo	7,000	8,000	52,800	21,500
Detroit	1,188	1,100	4,597	7,450
Kan. City	10,400	10,400	792,000	64,800
Milwaukee	43,200	3,200	39,900	20,900
Minneapolis	331,760	35,670	17,400	10,800
Duluth	29,494	......	......	......

Export Flour Movement.

	Receipts.		Shipments.	
	Barrels.	Sacks.	Barrels.	Sacks.
New York	5,872	9,706	9,972	1,215
Balt'more	9,410	......	56,818	......
Phila.	6,239	......	......	......
Boston	4,243	......	......	......
N. Orleans	500	1,100	......	......

Sample Market Prices.

WHEAT.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
No. 2 red	89 @89½	88 @89½	72 @73½
No. 3 red	87 @87½	87 @87½	70½@72
No. 4 red	86 @86½	86 @86½	65½@69
No. 2 hard	80 @82½	80 @82½	68½@69½
No. 3 hard	80 @82 n	79 @82	67 @69

CORN.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
No. 2 mixed	63¼@64	63 @63¼	37 @37¼
No. 2 white	65¾@66½	*65	38½
No. 3 mixed	63 @63¼	62 @63	37
No. 4 mixed	62½@63	60 @62	36½@37
No. 3 white	65½@66	*64¾	38½
No. 2 yellow	64¼@64½	64 @64½	37¼
No. 3 yellow	63¾@64¼	63½@64	37

OATS.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year Ago.
No. 2 mixed	47½@48	48 @48½	25¾@26
No. 2 white	*48½	48¾@49	28
No. 3 white	47½@48¾	48 @48½	27 @27½
No. 4 white	47¼@47½	47 @48¼	26½@27
No. 3 mixed	47 @47½	47½@48	25½
No. 4 mixed	46½@47	47 @47½	25 @25½

*East side.

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	86¾a	87⅞	86⅝	87⅝@87¾b
July	80 b	80⅝	80	80⅝b
CORN.				
May	65¼b	65⅞	65	65⅝@65⅞b
July	65¼a	65½	64⅞	65⅝n
OATS.				
May	46⅝@46½b	47¼	47⅛	47 b
July	39½a	39¾	39⅝	39¾b

CHICAGO.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	80¼a	80½	79⅝@79⅞	80¼@80¼b
July	80	80⅝	79⅝	80¼a
CORN.				
May	63¼b	64	63	63⅝b
July	63⅛	63⅜	62⅞	63¼b
OATS.				
May	44⅝	45⅜	44⅝	45⅛
July	39⅛	40¼@40⅛	39⅝	40

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
PORK.				
Jan	$16.47 n	......	......	$16.65
May	16.87	17.07	16.85	17.05 a
RIBS.				
Jan	8.35 a	......	......	8.40 n
May	8.60 a	8.67@70	8.60	8.65@67
LARD.				
Jan	9.40@42	......	......	9.42
May	9.67 a	9.75@77	9.65	9.72 a

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	76¼@76¼	76½	75¾@7[illegible]	76¼@76⅜
July	77⅛@77¼	77⅝	76⅝	77⅜

NEW YORK.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	85¼b	85⅝	85	85⅛a
July	85 a	85¼@85⅜	84¾@84⅞	85⅛b
CORN				
May	67⅝b	67⅝	67¼@[illegible]⅜	67⅝b
July	67¼a	67½	67⅜	67½a

HAY, FLOUR AND PROVISIONS.

HAY AND FEED.

Market steady for timothy. Clover seed dull; receipts moderate.

Receipts—Local, 860 tons; shipments, 190 tons; through, 235 tons; choice timothy, $14.50@15; No. 1, $14@14.50; No. 2, $13@13.50. Clover—No. 1, $11.50@12; No. 2, $11@11.50; clover mixed, $11.50@13; alfalfa, $13.50@14; prairie, No. 1, $14@14.50; No. 2, $11.50@13.

BRAN—At mill, large sacks, $1.03; small, $1.05.

SHIPSTUFFS—Firm at $1.15@1.20.

STRAW—Wheat, $4.50@5; rye, $6; oats, $6.

FLOUR.

Patents, per bbl.	$3 95@4 05
Straights	3 75@3 85
Extra fancy	3 55@3 65
Clears	3 15@3 35
Low and medium grades	2 75@3 00
Pearl meal, grits and hominy	3 70
Cornmeal	3 25
Rye flour	3 10@3 40
Spring wheat, patents, in jute	3 75@3 80
Kansas patents, in jute	3 50@3 60
Kansas straights	3 20@3 30
Kansas clears	2 85@3 00

PROVISIONS.

Quotations given here are for lots in a jobbing way on the exchange. On orders, much higher.

PORK—Market higher at $16.25 per bbl.

DRY SALT MEAT—Extra short, $8.65 per 100 lbs; clear ribs, $8.65; clear sides $8.80; bellies, $9@9.25; fat backs, $8.50; standard, $3.

BACON—In a jobbing way, extra short, $9.50; clear ribs, $9.50; standard clear, $9.75.

GREASE—Country: Yellow, 4⅛c; white, 4⅝c; brown, 3⅛c; packers' white, 6⅛@6⅝c; brown, 4⅜@4⅝c; yellow, 4⅝@5⅛c; oleostearine, 11c. Country lard, 7⅛@8c.

DRIED BEEF—Sets, 11½c; insides, 13c; outsides, 11c; knuckles, 12½c.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—10½@11½c; breakfast bacon, 10⅝@13½c; California hams, 7⅝c; sugar-cured bellies, 10½@11c; New York shoulders, 8c.

TALLOW—Country: No. 1, 5⅛@5⅛c; packers, 6⅛@6⅜c.

LARD—In a jobbing way stronger at $9.22½ per 100 pounds.

BEEF—Plate, $8.50 per bbl.; Fulton market, $9.50.

On the Street.

FRUITS.

COCOANUTS—In a small way, $3 per 100; selling by dealers at $25 per 1000.

BANANAS—On orders, $1@2 per bunch.

ORANGES—In car lots—Florida, $2.50@2.60; California, $1.50@2.75.

LEMONS—California, on track, $1.75@2.25; dealers charge 25@30c more.

GRAPE FRUIT—Jamaica, $5@5.50 per box.

GRAPES—Catawba, pony baskets, 10@12c.

PINEAPPLES—Florida, $2.75@3 per crate; Cayenne, $2.50@3.

APPLES—Cold storage stock on orders, $3@3.50 per bbl for choice; other grades, $1.50@2.50.

MALAGA GRAPES—$5@8 per bbl, according to quality.

PEARS—California, $1.25@2.50 per 40-lb box.

STRAWBERRIES—Florida, dull at 25@35c per quart; fancy, 35c.

TANGARINES—Florida from store at $6 per box.

CRANBERRIES—Jerseys, $6 per bbl; Cape Cod, $7@7.50.

VEGETABLES.

CUCUMBERS—Hothouse, $1.50@2 per doz; Florida, $1@1.50.

ONIONS—Red, $1.40@1.50 per bu; yellow, $1.35@1.40; white, $1.50; Spanish, $1.65@1.75.

BEETS—Northern, $2@2.25 per bbl; New Orleans, 35@40c per doz.

STRING BEANS—Florida round green, $3@3.25 per bu.

CAULIFLOWER—California, $2@2.25 per crate.

CELERY—California white plume, $2.50@2.75 per crate; roots, 35@40c per doz.

CARROTS—Northern, 80@90c per bu.

EGG PLANT—Florida, $1.50@2 per doz.

RADISHES—Home-grown, 15@25c per dozen bunches; Boston, 40@50c.

TURNIPS—Home grown, 30@40c per bu; $1@1.25 per bbl.

PARSNIPS—Northern, $2@2.25 per bbl; home-grown, 75c@$1 per bu box.

TOMATOES—Florida, $3@3.50 per 6-basket crate.

POTATOES—Northern, on track, fair to good, 75@78c; choice, 80c; Colorado, $1@1.10; Ohio, $1.15.

GUMBO—Florida, $3@3.25 per 6-basket crate.

PEPPERS—Florida, green, $3.25@3.50 per 6-basket crate.

EGG PLANT—Florida $5@6 per ½-barrel crate; 75c@$1.50 per doz.

PARSLEY—Home-grown, 20@25c per dozen bunches; Boston, 50@60c.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, 75@80c per bu; Florida, $3@3.50 per hamper.

SWEET POTATOES—Red, $3.25@3.50 per bbl; Kentucky red, $3.50@4; Bermuda, $1@1.10; Queen, $3@3.25.

MINT—Boston, $1@1.50 per doz bunches.

OYSTER PLANT—Home-grown, 35@50c per doz bunches.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown, $3@4 per bbl, according to size.

PARSNIPS—Northern, $2.25@2.50 per bbl; home-grown, 75c@$1 per bu box.

CABBAGE—Holland seed, $14@16 per ton; red, $2@2.50 per 100 lbs.

RUTABAGAS—Selling at 32@33c per bu, delivered.

SPINACH—Baltimore, 50@60c per hamper.

SAUERKRAUT—Small lots, $1.75@2 per ½ bbl; $3.35@3.50 per bbl.

CHEESE—Jobbing: Twins at 11c; single, 11¼c; dairies, 11½c; Y. A., 11¾c; long horns, 12c; New York, large, 10⅝c; New York, small, 11¼c; limburger at 12½c; Swiss, 12@15c; brick, 12c.

EGGS.

Receipts, 713 cases, local; through, none; shipments, 5 cases; nearby and southern lower at 23c, loss off, cases returned.

BUTTER.

Creamery—		Roll	10 @14
Extra	24 @25	Dairy—	
Firsts	22	Extra	19 @20
Seconds	18 @19	Firsts	15 @16
Country—		Ladle packed—	
Choice	13	Firsts	15
Poor to fair	8 @11	Extra	16

FISH, GAME, VEAL AND POULTRY.

FRESH FISH—Croppie, 4@5c, according to size; sunfish, 3c; black bass, 7@11c; white bass 2c; dressed cat, 8½c; bullheads, 5c; buffalo, 2@4c; carp, 4c; white perch, 2c.

LIVE POULTRY—Roosters, 4@7c; geese, 3@5c; ducks, 7@7½c; pigeons, 50@60c per doz; chickens, 7½c; broilers, 9@10c; turkeys, 8@8½c.

GAME—Ducks: Mallards, $3@3.50 per doz; teal, $2@2.50; mixed, $1.50; canvas backs, $6; red heads, $3.25@3.50; antelope saddles, 12½c; opossum, 10@25c each; rabbits, 90c@$1 per doz; squirrels, 5 @60c, jacksnipe $1.50.

VEALS — Choice to fancy, 5½c; heretics, 2@3½c; sheep, 2@3c; thin ewes and bucks, 1½@2c; spring lambs, 3@4c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Chickens, old hens, 8c; roosters, 5c; ducks, 8c; young chickens, 8½c; geese, 6c; turkeys, 9c.

NUTS.

PEANUTS—Farmers' stock, red, 1¾@2c per lb; white, 3c.

CHESTNUTS—Virginia or Maryland, 8c; Kentucky, 6@7c.

WALNUTS—50c per bu.

HICKORY NUTS—Large, 60c per bu; shell bark, $1.

PECANS—Western, 8c.

WOOL.

Missouri and Illinois—Medium combing, 17@17½c; medium, 16½@17c; braid and low, 16½@17c; burry and clear mixed, 14½@15½c; burry, 11½@14c; light fine, 14@15c; heavy fine, 11@12c; lamb, 15@16c; Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota—Bright medium, 16@16½c; fine medium, 14@14½c; light, fine, 13½@14c; heavy fine, 11@12c; Kansas and Nebraska—Bright medium, 15@16½c; fine medium, 14 @15c; light fine, 14@14½c; heavy fine, 11@11½c. Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Medium, 16@16½c; light fine, 12½@13½c; heavy fine, 10@11c. Dakota and western—Bright medium, 15@16c; fine medium, 13½@14c; light fine, 13@13½c; heavy fine, 10@15c; Arkansas and southern—Medium, 15@16c; burry, 12@13c; hard burry, 10c. Wash wool—No. 1, 24c; No. 2, 21@23c; Angora goat hair (long), 14@15c; short, 11@12c; burry, 5@6c.

HIDES—Dry flint—Average Texas receipts, 13½c; heavy Texas, 14½c; Arkansas, 13½c; selected No. 1, 14½c; selected No. 2, 12½c; dry salted, 11c; selected No. 1, 12½c; No. 2, 10½c. Green salted—Round, 7½c; selected No. 1, 7⅝c; No. 2, 6⅝c; uncured, 1c pound less.

DEERSKINS, ETC.—Deerskins quotable at 28c per lb for prime; Texas at 25c; antelope, 15c; goatskins, 25@27½c each.

LIVE STOCK.

National Stockyards.

NATIVE CATTLE—Receipts, 300. Market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
19 steers	1063	$5 25
16 steers	1160	4 55
1 steer	770	4 00
1 steer	880	3 50
1 heifer	600	3 75
1 heifer	660	3 40
11 heifers	592	3 00
1 cow	1080	4 00
3 cows	1066	3 90
1 cow	900	3 00
2 calves	110	6 75
2 calves	105	6 50

TEXAS CATTLE—Receipts, 400. Market quiet.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
26 Arkansas steers	1036	$3 90
18 Arkansas steers	772	3 35
6 Arkansas steers	635	3 00
4 cows	642	2 35
1 calf	270	2 75
2 calves	275	2 25

SHEEP—Receipts, 1800. Market steady.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
100 lambs	81	$6 20
37 lambs	78	6 00
21 lambs	98	5 75
11 cull lambs	70	4 00
51 sheep	105	4 25
3 sheep	86	4 25
20 sheep	115	4 10
8 bucks	122	4 50

HOGS—Receipts, 6000; market steady.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
87	224	$6 55	75	234	$6 55
61	244	6 50	71	246	6 40
18	235	6 40	78	227	6 40
70	241	6 35	70	235	6 35
74	224	6 30	77	218	6 30
84	188	6 25	71	214	6 25
32	178	6 20	70	191	6 20
16	160	6 20	65	198	6 10
88	145	6 05	42	157	6 05
51	210	6 00	23	144	5 95
61	148	5 90	57	154	5 75
50	117	5 50	34	107	5 40

HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 150. This has been a very satisfactory week in the horse market. Prices have been generally stronger, and there has been a good demand from nearly every source. The leading feature has been the demand for farm chunks.

HORSE QUOTATIONS.

Heavy draft—	
Common to good	$120 00@150 00
Choice to extra	160 00@185 00
Chunks—	
1150 to 1350 pounds, fair to good	65 00@ 80 00
Good to choice	85 00@110 00
Coach horses and cobs—	
Fair to good	140 00@175 00
Choice to extra	200 00@500 00
Horses for the South—	
Small, light drivers, fair to good	30 00@ 45 00
Choice to extra	50 00@ 70 00
Southern drivers, large	85 00@125 00
Export chunks—	
1200 to 1500 pounds, plain to good	75 00@ 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00@120 00
Business drivers—	
Fair to good	85 00@110 00
Choice to extra	125 00@150 00
Saddlers for southern use—	
Fair to good	75 00@ 90 00
Choice to extra	100 00@135 00
Fancy gaited and New York saddlers	150 00@300 00
Inferior horses—	
Common, small plugs	20 00@ 30 00
Heavy work plugs	40 00@ 60 00

MULES—Are fairly active. Prices are about the same as last week on decent kinds. The best demand has been for the fat kinds from 15 hands up.

MULE QUOTATIONS.

(For broke mules, 4 to 7 years old.)

14 hands, extreme range	$ 50 00@ 70 00
14 hands, bulk of sales	50 00@ 60 00
14½ hands, extreme range	55 00@ 80 00
14½ hands, bulk of sales	55 00@ 65 00
15 hands, extreme range	75 00@110 00
15 hands, bulk of sales	75 00@ 90 00
15½ hands, extreme range	90 00@125 00
15½ hands, bulk of sales	95 00@105 00
16 to 16½ hands, extreme range	120 00@160 00
16 to 16½ hands, bulk of sales	125 00@140 00

The first line of quotations in each class is calculated to represent the full range from common to extra. Dealers however, often classify superlative bunches (all tops) for buyers, which sometimes sell considerably above the highest quotations. The second line of quotations signifies the bulk of sales and generally represents the various classes as they are sold on the commission market, more or less mixed.

STOCKYARD NOTES.

J. E. Childs, shipping from Celeste, Tex., marketed Wednesday 491 steers averaging 1026 pounds and 30 head averaging 1031 pounds, both bunches selling at $4.65, also 20 steers averaging 920 pounds at $4.35, 14 mixed cattle weighing 747 pounds at $3.50, and 11 calves at $13.50 per head.

The general range of prices on good to choice 1200 to 1500-pound chunks during the week was $110@145, while the bulk of the offerings in the class sold at $115@130. Farm chunks sold at a wide range on common to choice at $80@125.

John Griffith of Floresville, Tex., had a 17-car consignment on Wednesday's market embracing 70 steers weighing 984 pounds that sold within 5c of the top at $4.70. He also had 217 steers averaging 952 pounds at the same price, and 25 head weighing 814 pounds at $4.10.

H. H. Halsell of Oklahoma City, O. T., was here with a 14-carload consignment containing 267 steers, weighing 969 pounds, and 68 steers, weighing 1040 pounds, both bunches selling at $4.50.

L. C. McCormack, shipping from Tyler, Tex., was here with 10 cars of steers containing 198 head, weighing 1150 pounds, that sold at $5.25, a good price for the day.

Dealers are "leary" of the cotton mule trade and are evidently going to let the small ones alone until there is more demand manifested by the southern states. It is rather an "ouchey" business to load up on small mules at this time with feed so high and the prospects and the general inclination is to buy the big mules, which are in demand, and earn them over quickly, rather than to hunt small mules at cheap values and take the chance of the cotton mule demand not proving sufficient to pay them out.

Union Stockyards.

HOGS—Market opened 5@7½c lower; closed active at decline; receipts good.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
78	246	$6 50	81	225	$6 42½
83	214	6 40	78	200	6 40
60	210	6 40	77	210	6 32½
72	192	6 35	40	195	6 30
29	171	6 30	64	162	6 30
37	201	6 30	81	223	6 30
87	191	6 30	56	191	6 30
109	179	6 20	68	171	6 25

CATTLE—Market 10c stronger.

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
2 native heifers	995	$4 65
1 native heifer	860	4 50
2 native heifers	670	4 15
1 native bull	1410	3 50
3 native bulls	920	2 85
7 native heifers	725	3 70
2 sausage cows	840	1 75
5 sausage cows	910	2 00
1 calf	170	6 50
4 native cows and calves, each	...	40 50
2 native cows and calves, each	...	38 00
5 native cows and calves, each	...	33 00
1 native cow and calf	...	34 00
6 southwest mixed	690	3 60
5 native heifers	520	4 65

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500; steady; good to prime steers, $6.50@7.35; poor to medium, $4.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, $2.25@4.75; cows, $1.25@4.75; heifers, $2.25@5.00; canners, $1.25@2.25; bulls, $2.00@4.50; calves, $2.50@6.50; Texas fed steers, $3.25@5.60. Hogs—Receipts today, 32,000; tomorrow, 30,000; left over, 8558; steady; mixed and butchers, $5.90@6.45; good to choice heavy, $6.30@6.55; rough heavy, $5.95@6.20; light, $5.50@6.00; bulk of sales, $5.90@6.30. Sheep—Receipts, 21,000; sheep about steady; lambs steady to shade lower; good to choice wethers, $4.30@5.10; fair to choice mixed, $3.75@4.30; western sheep, $4.25@5.10; native lambs, $3.50@6.00; western lambs, $5.00@6.90. Official yesterday—Receipts, cattle, 13,138; hogs, 28,762; sheep, 19,117; shipments, cattle, 5660; hogs, 4063; sheep, 3446.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 3000, including 600 Texans; strong; native steers, $4.75@6.75; Texas and Indian steers, $3.75@5.25; Texas cows, $2.50@4.25; native cows and heifers, $2.75@5.25; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.75; bulls, $2.50@4.75; calves, $3.75@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market steady; bulk of sales, $5.75@6.45; heavy, $6.50@6.60; packers, $6.25@6.50; medium, $6.10@6.45; light, $5.50@6.35; yorkers, $5.25@6.25; pigs, $4.50@5.85. Sheep—Receipts, 500; market 25c higher; muttons, $4.00@5.00; lambs, $5.00@6.25; range wethers, $4.00@4.75; ewes, $4.00@5.00.

SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 2800; market slow, 5@10c lower; native steers, $4@6.70; cows and heifers, 3@4.75; western steers, $3.80@5.40; Texas steers, $3.40@4.40; canners, $1.50@2.80; stockers and feeders, $2.80@4.60; calves, $4@7; bulls, stags, etc., $2.25@4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market weak, closed 5c higher; heavy, $6.20@6.50; mixed, $6.10@6.25; light, $5.75@6.20; pigs, $4.50@5.50; bulk of sales, $6@6.25. Sheep—Receipts, 700; market steady; fed muttons, $4.25@5.10; westerns, $3.70@4.40; ewes, $3@4.10; common and stockers, $2.50@4.25; lambs, $4.50@6.10.

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SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 900 head; market slow; native and western steers steady to 10c lower; cows and heifers weak to 10c lower; stockers and feeders steady; good to best native beeves, $5.25@6.00; common to medium, $3.75@5.15; cows and heifers, $2.00@4.50; stockers and feeders, $3.00@4.40. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000 head; market very slow, steady to 5c lower; top, $6.55; bulk, $5.95@6.35; pigs 5c lower. Sheep—Receipts, 100 head; market active and generally 10c higher; native lambs, $5.00@6.00; native ewes, $3.55@4.25.

Produce Markets by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Trading in the grain pits at the opening of the Board of Trade today was very quiet compared to yesterday's exciting time. All cables were firm and influenced a firmer opening here. May wheat started ⅛c lower to ⅛c higher at 80¼ to 80⅝c. Trade was small in volume and offerings were very light to start. Dry weather was still reported in the West and Southwest, but the prediction of rains in Kansas brought an easier feeling shortly after the start and May sold down to 79⅝c. A fair demand sprang up at this figure, but several large commission houses continued their liquidations of yesterday and prices for May sagged back to 79⅝@79⅝c. Local receipts were only 25 cars, one of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported 414 cars, making a total for the three points of 439 cars, against 579 last week and 294 a year ago. Argentine shipments for the week were only 36,000 bu, compared to 648,000 bu a year ago.

Corn opened quiet and slightly improved under the influence of better cables and smaller offerings. Trade was light to start with and the demand both local and outside was light. May opened ⅛c to ¼c higher at 63⅜c to 63½c, but on the easier feeling in wheat sagged to 63c. Receipts were only 65 cars.

Oats started with a firmer tone on smaller offerings and a fair demand. May started ⅜c up at 45c, but on the easy feeling in other pits and some small liquidation, sold back to 44⅝c. Receipts were 122 cars.

Hog products opened somewhat better on an improved market at the yards. Offerings also were small. On the grain weakness, however, and some outside selling, prices sagged a little. May pork opened 5c to 7½c higher at $16.92½ to $16.95 and reacted to $16.85; May lard unchanged at $9.67½ and lost 2½c, and May ribs 2½c up at $8.62½ and sold down to $8.60.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Butter steady; creameries, 15@23½c; dairies, 14@20c. Cheese steady; twins, 10¼@10⅝c; Young Americas, 10⅝@11¼c; dairies 10⅝@11¼c. Eggs easy; loss off, cases returned, 25@26c. Dressed poultry steady; turkeys, 9@12c; chickens, 7½@9c.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Wheat—Receipts, 90,250 bu; opened firm on cables and foreign buying, was depressed by predictions of snow and Wall street selling, but recovered at noon on a demand from shorts. March, 85⅞@86⅝c; May, 85@85⅝c; July, 84 13-16@85 5-16c.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 17.—Close—Wheat: May, 78½c; July, 78c; cash, No. 2 hard, 77c; No. 3, 76c; No. 2 red, 88@88½c; No. 3, 86@87c; No. 2 spring, 75¼@76c. Corn—Jan., 65c; May, 65⅝c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 65@66c; No. 2 white, 68½@68⅝c; No. 3, 68@68¼c. Oats—No. 2 white, 48. Rye—No. 2, 63⅛c. Hay—Choice timothy, $13; do prairie, $13.50@14. Butter—Creamery, 18@22c; dairy, fancy, 18c. Eggs—Fresh, 22@22½c. Receipts of wheat, 13 cars.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 17.—Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter, steady, 6s 2d; No. 1 northern spring, steady, 6s 2d; No. 1 California, firm, 6s 6d; futures steady; March, 6s 2¼d; May, 6s 2⅛d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 5s 6½d; do old, 5s 7½d; futures quiet; Feb., 5s 3½d; March, 5s 2¾d; May, 5s 2⅝d.

NO DOMINANT TONE IN STOCKS

Manhattan Rose a Point and Southwestern Railroads Grew Firmer—Sugar Ran Off.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—No dominant tone was perceptible in the opening course of prices. Changes were very small, the trading was dull, and gains and losses were very equally divided. Manhattan rose a point, and railroads in the Southwest were perceptibly firm. Sugar ran off ⅜c.

Trading was firmer all round in sympathy with a good demand for Manhattan, Amalgamated Copper and some of the medium priced railroads. Of the latter St. Louis Southwestern common and preferred, Lake Erie & Western, St. Louis & San Francisco first and second preferred, New York, Chicago & St. Louis, Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville, and Colorado Southern first and second preferred were lifted 1@1½. Lackawanna jumped 5½. Delaware & Hudson 2 and Amalgamated Copper and Manhattan improved [illegible]. At 11 o'clock the leading active stocks were ruling a shade above last night.

New points of strength developed and the dealings were somewhat more animated. Lackawanna rose 10 points in all to 267, and induced a rise of 3¼ in New Jersey Central and a point or over in Reading common and second preferred and Pennsylvania. Good gains were also made by Brooklyn Transit, Illinois Central, Kansas & Texas preferred and Mexican Central. Sugar was marked up to 123½ and there were additional slight gains in all other speculative favorites. Bonds were firm.

London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Jan. 17, 4 p. m.—Consols for money, 93⅝; consols for account, 94; Anaconda, 6¼; Atchison, 78⅛; do pfd., 100¼; Baltimore & Ohio, 105; Canadian Pacific, 117¼; Chesapeake & Ohio, 46⅞; Chicago Great Western, 23; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 166½; Denver & Rio Grande, 43⅝; do pfd., 93½; Erie, 41¼; do 1st pfd., 74¼; Illinois Central, 141½; Louisville & Nashville, 107¼; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, 25⅝; do pfd., 53; New York Central, 167⅛; Norfolk & Western, 57½; do pfd., 94; Northern Pacific pfd., 102; Ontario & Western, 34⅝; Pennsylvania, 76; Reading, 28⅛; do 1st pfd., 41½; do 2d pfd., 31½; Southern Railway, 33½; do pfd., 95½; Southern Pacific, 60½; Union Pacific, 103⅞; do pfd., 91; United States Steel, 43⅞; do pfd., 97; Wabash, 22⅜; do pfd., 22⅜; Spanish 4s, 77⅝; Rand Mines, 11⅝; De Beers, 42⅞; bar silver dull, 25 9-16d per ounce; money, 2 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 15-16@3 per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for three-months' bills is 3 per cent.

New York Money and Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Noon—Money on call nominally at 4@4½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4¼@5¼ per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8[illegible]@4.87⅛ for demand, and at $4.84¼@4.84¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.85@4.88; commercial bills, $4.83⅝@4.83⅞; Mexican dollars, 44⅛c; government bonds steady; ref. 2s, reg., 108⅛; do coupon, 108⅛; 3s, reg., 107⅝; do coupon, 108⅝; new 4s, reg., 138⅛; do coupon, 139¼; old 4s, reg., 111⅝; do coupon, 111⅝; 5s, reg., 106⅛; do coupon, 107½; bar silver, 55½c.

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PAINTER—Sit. wanted by first-class carriage and wagon painter; 20 years' experience; can take charge of shop; city or country. Ad. Box 245, Rushville, Ill.

PORTER—Sit. wanted by colored man as porter or driver for grocery store; best references. Ad. L 68, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTER—Sit. wanted by allround printer to take charge of country newspaper; experience. Ad. L 113, Post-Dispatch.

STOREKEEPER—Position wanted by sober, practical hotel or cafe storekeeper, with first-class references. Ad. M 10, Post-Dispatch.

STUDENT—Student of 30 desires to work in private family for room and board; best of references. Ad. K 41, Post-Dispatch.

TAILOR—Young man, first class cutter and fitter at ladies' tailoring, desires position; best references; write or call. 908 N. Broadway.

YOUNG MAN—Position in saloon by young man, willing to do anything about place; wish to learn business. Ad. H 129, Post-Dispatch.

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Mercantile College, open day and night; Lincoln Trust bldg., 7th and Chestnut sts.; individual instruction given in bookkeeping, penmanship, shorthand, typewriting, etc. Demand for graduates greater than supply. Day school open all year. Telephones, Bell Main 2040; Kinloch A 70. Open day and night.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

ANOTHER free shipment tonight, S. W. Mo., through Ozark Mts., laborers, teamsters, $1.50, $1.75, $2. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

BAKER WANTED—Young cake baker, right away. 1301 N. Grand av.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber for Saturday and Sunday; $4 guaranteed. 1046 Pendleton av.

BARBER WANTED—Barber Saturday and Sunday. 1010 S. Jefferson av.

BARBER WANTED—506 N. 6th st.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Saturday and Sunday. Call 3427 Manchester av.

BARBER WANTED—Barber for Saturday and Sunday. 1247 Franklin av.

BARBER WANTED—For Saturday and Sunday; good pay. 1915 Lynch st.

BARBER WANTED—A good barber; Saturday and Sunday; $3.50. 1506 S. Vandeventer; take Park av. car.

BARBER WANTED—At once, country town; easy trade; fair wages. J. L. Clifford, Fayette, Mo.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber to help out. 1903 Franklin av. P. J. Cavanaugh.

BOY WANTED—Experienced colored boy for barber shop; $6 to $8 week. Olive and Whittier.

BOY WANTED—Good colored boy about 15 years old. 4205 Olive.

BOY WANTED—Small boy to deliver bundles; must ride on child's car ticket; apply at once. 515 Locust st.

BOY WANTED—A good boy or young man, to drive team and help on wagon. 718 N. 18th.

BOYS WANTED—Boys. Meyer & Cohlmann Furn. Co., 14th and Palm.

BOYS WANTED—To try Harris' $1.98 shoes; made for good wear. 409-411 N. 6th st., the best appointed and roomiest shoe store in St. Louis.

BOY WANTED—Boy to strip tobacco. 508 Poplar.

BOY WANTED—Boy to work in drug store; some experience; good references. 3341 Lucas av.

BOY WANTED—With 2 or 3 years' experience; must be a hustler. 1401 Market.

BOY WANTED—A colored boy for housework; immediately. 4152 Washington av.

BOY WANTED—Small German boy to learn trade. R., 112 Market st.

BUTCHER WANTED—One first-class butcher; also one driver; must know city. Call 1110 Franklin.

BUGGY WASHER WANTED—Buggy washer. Apply 1411 N. Broadway. Merchants' Stable.

CARPENTERS WANTED—Three carpenters, inside work; state wages. Ad. K 70, Post-Dis.

CIGARMAKERS WANTED—Cigarmakers; two good men. 120½ N. 3d st. Linde.

COACHMAN WANTED—1st-class coachman, with references. 1641 Missouri.

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COVER your feet Saturday with shoes worth $4 for $1.35. Find, 521 Pine st.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Drug clerk. 3201 Franklin av.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk; German. 1704 Market st.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—German junior drug clerk; 3 or 4 years' experience; reference. 10th and O'Fallon.

ESTIMATER WANTED—A competent planing mill work estimater; a fair salary paid to the right man. Ad. L 167, Post-Dispatch.

EVERY MAN who wants high-grade shoes, Saturday at unheard-of low prices. Find, 521 Pine.

FLORIST WANTED—Allround greenhouse florist, middle-aged German, speaking English preferred; must have references from last employer. Ad. K 3, Post-Dispatch.

GOODYEAR stitcher on men's fine shoes. Desnoyers Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas av.

GRAINER WANTED—Grainer; call 808 Washington av., second floor, this afternoon.

HARNESS MAKERS WANTED—Harness makers. S. R. & I. C. McConnell Co., Burlington, Io.

HIGH GRADE $3.50 union-made shoes for $1.50; Regent shoes at half-price Saturday. 521 Pine.

HOUSEMAN WANTED—Houseman. Apply at rear entrance University Club, Grand and Washington avs.

LASTERS WANTED—Second lasters, on turn work. Desnoyers Shoe Co., 21st st. and Lucas av.

LASTER WANTED—Second laster on children's turn shoes, also boy in bottoming room. Peteler Shoe Mfg. Co., northeast corner 2d and Pine sts.

MACHINIST WANTED—First-class machinist. Dudley-Carper Mfg. Co., 1211 Pine st.

MANAGER WANTED—Young man as manager of drug store; must have some means and time; well recommended. Ad. K 46, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Man or boy to help in kitchen; small wages. 2807 Locust st.

MAN WANTED—A young white man to make fires and wash dishes. 3611 Pine st.

MAN WANTED—Colored man, half day every day. 1610 Locust.

MEN WANTED—To get their measure taken; $10 suits, $2.50 pants. Klein, 1617¼ Market st.

MEN WANTED—To try Harris' box calf shoes, $2.95. Harris, $4 Shoe Man, 409-411 N. 6th st., the best appointed and roomiest shoe store in St. Louis.

MEN WANTED—Car repair men. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill.

MEN WANTED—100 track men; Grand and Lafayette; in the morning. St. Louis Transit Co.

PATTERN MAKER WANTED—Metal pattern maker. Dudley-Carper Mfg. Co., 1211 Pine st.

PORTER WANTED—Experienced colored porter. Dozier Bakery, 208 N. 6th st.

PORTER WANTED—In barber shop; $3 per week. 111 N. Jefferson av.

PORTER WANTED—In coffee house. 1711 Market st.

PORTER WANTED—A colored porter. Apply 318 N. 6th st.

PRESSER WANTED—Allround presser. 3917 Finney av.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary, 1214 Franklin av.

PULLER-OVERS WANTED—Two good puller-overs. Goodbar Shoe Mfg. Co., Vandeventer and Laclede.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Goodyear stitchers. Friedman Bros. Shoe Co., 3417 Locust st.

SHOEMAKERS WANTED—Boys to feed McKay heeler. Shoe factory, Broadway and Hickory.

STONEMASON WANTED—3111 North Market st., after 6 p. m., upstairs.

THE National Founders' Association will pay at least $3.75 per day for a few good machinery floor molders to work in Chicago, Ill. Permanent employment and no trouble. Ad. Box 410, Chicago, Ill.

TINNERS WANTED—Tinners. Apply 2800 De Kalb st.

TOOLMAKER WANTED—One toolmaker, one brass finisher to work on speed lathe on small brass cocks; two brass finishers for fox lathe work and three metal pattern makers; must be experienced and competent; give references, experience, age and wages wanted; steady employment. Ad. The Ohio Brass Co., Mansfield, O.

WANTED—Experienced bundle wrapper; none other need apply. Werner Bros.

WANTED—Reliable men to wear our union-made shoes at $1.98. Bloecher Rolling Shoe Co., 520 Pine st.

WANTED—Man to learn the barber trade by our method of steady practice, expert instructions, etc.; only 2 months required; can earn scholarship, board, tools and transportation if desired. Call today. Moler Barber College, 1141 Market.

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SALESMAN WANTED—Experienced salesman to sell skirts on the road; must be acquainted. 712 N. 10th st.

SALESMAN WANTED—Full line nursery stock; plenty peach trees; outfit free; pay weekly. Lawrence Nursery Co., Lawrence, Kan.

SALESMEN WANTED—Two hustling salesmen, $25 to $50 per week; no canvassing. Inquire 2741 Locust st., hours 10 a. m. to 12 m.; 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. Y. W. Dudd.

SALESMEN WANTED—Encyclopedia salesmen; excellent opportunity for right men; we pay railroad fare; coupons and inquiries from an excellent class of people. F. D. Mayer, 328 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

AGENTS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS WANTED—Everywhere to sell "The Lightning Calculating Pencil;" fast seller; to show it is to sell it; large profits; send today; sample and terms, 25c. Egbert, Wick & Co., Dept. 3, Cedar Rapids, Io.

EXP. men to sell our new ticket; agents make $10 a day; big weekly commiss'n. Genelli, 923 Olive.

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PARTNER WANTED—In saloon; honest man; excellent stand; experience unnecessary. Ad. K 26, Post-Dispatch.

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

CANVASSERS WANTED—6 canvassers; new art plan; good paying proposition; investigate. Bayer, 1722 Franklin av.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Experienced canvassers; new plan; new prize; agents making $50 per week; everything free. Murillo, 1314 Olive st.

SOLICITOR WANTED—One of good address, capable of approaching bankers and large business concerns; must give bond; commission; call between 12:30 and 2 p. m. 616 Chestnut st. S. J. Morrow.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

BOOKKEEPER—Young woman, experienced bookkeeper, desires position with reliable firm; best of references. Ad. L 151, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by experienced double entry bookkeeper and cashier; best of reference Ad. Bookkeeper, 3842 Easton av.

CHAMBERMAIDS—Two colored girls wish place as chambermaids, night or day. 2030 Biddle st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good cook; willing to assist with other work; ref. 2231 Carr, upstairs.

COOK—Situation wanted by first-class colored cook in private boarding house; best reference. H Sendell, 4038 Evans av.

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook or general work by young German woman; no objections to suburbs. 3117 Easton av.

DRESSMAKER—Has some spare time. A., 2810 Locust st.

DRESSMAKER—Competent cutter, designer, has few days, $2.10 per day; evening gowns a specialty; work guaranteed; good references. 1025 N. Compton av.

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker will work reasonably in families. 1 N. Garrison av.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by American girl, fairly experienced in bakery and lunch confectionery, High School education, any position paying $8 weekly. 2302 Wash st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl as laundress; day or week. Butler, 1418 Wash st.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by colored girl from the South, as nurse or chambermaid; experienced; good wages expected. 2643 Pine st.

GIRL—Position wanted by neat, well-learned southern colored girl for office, toilet work or chambermaid; please call or send postal. 1337 Gay st.

GIRLS—Situations wanted by two girls to assist in housework and take care of children. 1019 California av.

HOUSELADY—Sit. wanted by colored lady to do housework. M. Washington, 1410 Morgan st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position as housekeeper or to do light housework. 1925 N. 19th st.

HOUSEKEEPER—A middle-aged widow desires to keep house for some one. Mrs. Thomson, 2755 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by a girl for general housework. 3301 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by country girl to do general housework in small family, without washing. Call 3834 North Market st.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted to do general housework or as housekeeper for rooming house. Ad. K 73, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl to do light housework in small family. Ad. K 72, Post-Dis.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by girl for general housework. Apply 3301 Franklin av.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined middle-aged widow, American, would like position, housekeeper for widower or bachelor; references given. 930 N. Garrison av.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young German girl to do light housework; no washing. Apply to Mrs. Mundschenk, 1610 Franklin av., rear.

LADY—Sit. wanted by educated young lady as office assistant and typewriter; experienced in bookkeeping. A., 2922 Lucas.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress with reference for Monday and Tuesday. 4442A Lucky st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first class laundress; would like to wash and iron the first two days in week. Clara Wilson, 2283 Market st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants work by the month; references. Ad. K 58, P.-D.

LAUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants work in private family; no postal cards answered; call two days. 2132½ Division st.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress 1st 2 days in week; ref. 2804½A Laclede, upstairs.

LAUNDRESS—Laundress wants sit. for Mondays and Tuesdays. Ad. 2231 Clark av., third floor.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored laundress Mondays, or to take home on last of week. 322 S. Compton.

LAUNDRESS—Reliable white laundress wants permanent place for washing and ironing or housecleaning; references; please call. 2114 O'Fallon.

LAUNDRESS—Small laundry wanted to take home, nice yard and cistern water; references. Mary Owens, 4316 St. Ferdinand.

NURSEGIRLS—Sits. wanted by two girls 14 and 15 years old as nurses alone in respectable family. 910 Montgomery st.

OFFICE LADY—A young lady experienced in office work desires a permanent position. Ad. L 71, Post-Dispatch.

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. wanted by young lady to go out as seamstress; also plain sewing. Miss M. H., 3425 Nebraska av.

STENOGRAPHER—Young lady with some experience desires position as stenographer; Remington; salary $6. Ad. H 138, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by competent stenographer; first-class references furnished. Ad. K 81, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. desired by experienced stenographer; references; moderate salary. Ad. M 43, Post-Dispatch.

WIDOW—Sit. wanted by widow without incumbrance, as working housekeeper; call or ad. in store, Mrs. R. J. B., 1425 Franklin av.

WOMAN—Refined woman desires position to assist with light housework in exchange for a home and small salary; object, home. Ad. K 37, P.-D.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by colored woman as cook in private family; best of ref.; West End. 3950 Fairfax.

WOMAN—Situation wanted by German woman to scrub and clean. 1609 Franklin av., rear.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by young colored woman, to work around house. 3317A Bartmer.

YOUNG LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady as office assistant or general office work; 4 years' experience; references. Ad. G 168, Post-Dispatch.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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APPRENTICES WANTED—And girls experienced in trimming ladies' hats; only those who have natural talent need apply; good wages. 618 N. 7th st.

COMPOSITORS WANTED—Lady compositors; steady positions. Room 715, 810 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—White female short order cook. 6068 Maple av.; small restaurant.

COOK WANTED—Experienced; colored; references required. 4551 Forest Park bl.

COOK WANTED—Cook at Moser's Hotel. Call after 2, kitchen.

COOK WANTED—A good, reliable cook; also, neat housegirl. 2212 Locust st.

COOK WANTED—Good coock. 4125 Lindell bl.

COOK WANTED—Good colored cook. Call 4537 Forest Park bl.

COOK WANTED—An experienced cook. 1001 S. 9th st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—At southwest corner 9th and Morgan sts.

FEEDER WANTED—Experienced folding machine feeder, at once. Perrin & Smith Printing Co.

FINISHERS WANTED—First-class finishers on custom pants; first-class tackers on custom pants; first-class hand sewers on custom pants; piece work. Mills & Averill Tailoring Co., Broadway and Pine.

GIRLS WANTED—Two good machine girls, to sew on pants. 3448 Missouri av.

GIRL WANTED—A first-class girl, to cook, plain washing and ironing; small family; good wages. 3608 Olive st.

GIRL WANTED—At once, girl in lunchroom. 704 W. Broadway, East St. Louis.

GIRLS WANTED—To trim ready-to-wear hats. Sylvester & Judge Hat Factory, 1819 Pine st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to pick nuts, over 14 years old. Apply 518 N. 2d st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for kitchen work. 2000 De Kalb st.

GIRL WANTED—A good dining room girl. Call 209½ N. 8th st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl about 15 or 16 to assist nurse baby and light housework; good home more object than salary. 1819 California av.

GIRL WANTED—Good girl, 15 to 16 years, assist with children. Call 3957 Cook av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to help in kitchen; come ready to work at once. 4312 Hunt av.

GIRL WANTED—Kitchen girl that knows something of cooking. 1923 N. Spring av.

GIRLS WANTED—To wrap candy. 636 S. 7th st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl, 12 to 14, for light work and care of baby; call today. 3436½ Texas.

GIRL WANTED—A German girl to work in lunchroom; must understand cooking; steady work; call 6 p. m. 3217 Olive st.

GIRL WANTED—A neat girl for lunchroom. 324 Walnut st.

GIRL WANTED—Dining room girl. 1223 S. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—To learn dressmaking; $3 week while learning. Ad. M 83, Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS WANTED—Apprentice girls. Olivia building, Room 113, opposite High School.

GIRLS WANTED—Two neat German girls; one cook, one housegirl; good wages. 3605 Delmar.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for general work in dining room. 1730 Olive st.

HELP WANTED—3427 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl (white); good cook; reliable; small family; good wages; permanent place. Call 1045A N. Vandeventer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in family of three; Swede or German preferred; good wages. 5149 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl to do general housework. 1308 Taylor av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Apply 1316 Biddle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Large or small girl to assist in general housework. 5213 Minerva av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; with or without washing; good wages. Ad. M 82, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework. 2203A Carr st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—12 to 14 years old. 2145 Geyer av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework; family of three; good wages. 5061 Minerva av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; small family. 1744 Waverly pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good housegirl; no washing. 3812 Flad.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For downstairs and dining room work; refs.; side door. 4512 West Pine.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. 3954 Russell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good home. 2814 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; no washing; wages $15 per month. 3671 Cleveland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist with housework. 3641 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework; no washing. 1515 Missouri av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Half-grown girl to assist with housework; small family. Mrs. Thorpe, 3711 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl 12 or 14 years old to assist with housework. 3819 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5524 Cates av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; with or without washing. 3431 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—16-year-old girl in family of 2, to assist with housework; good home for right party. Ad., with refs., K 31, P.-D.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A competent German girl for general housework; family of 2. 5021 Kensington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework; good wages. 2709 Gamble st., near Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 2904 Park.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—White or colored, to take charge of cooking, with other help. 3431 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl, assist general housework; call immediately. 3351 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no laundry or outside work; good wages; small family. 4366 Laclede av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Competent woman or girl for general housework; go home nights. 3427 Bell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A housegirl; no washing. 1515 Missouri av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework; family of two. Call 4146 McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl in small family; good wages. Ryan's, 5512 Easton.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework and cooking in small family; $15. 5670 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 4206 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Neat, young, experienced girl as nurse and for light work; good wages. 5670 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework in small family. 5669 Cabanne.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl about 30 for general housework in small family. 4825 Fountain.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Capable girl for general housework in suburbs; good wages; no outside work. Call at Room 13, 714 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5803 Michigan av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 1300 Arsenal st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two. 1115 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2137 Oregon av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Woman for general housework. 4333A Evans av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1322A Olive st.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Kind, motherly lady as housekeeper, plain, moderate home for respectable person, middle-aged. Ad. K 76, Post-Dis.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework. 1001 Cass av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; 3 in family; good home. 2340 S. 12th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young white girl; two in family. Apply 4441 Easton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4457 Horton pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework; good home. 906 Chambers st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3248 Maple av.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A neat German housegirl; good home, good wages; family of three. 2414 N. Grand av.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—A housekeeper, at once; references required; no other need apply; call between 5 and 6 p. m. Room 2, 1503 N. 11th st.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—One not afraid of work. 4324 North Market.

GIRL WANTED—A good, clean girl; assist general housework; good wages; no washing or ironing. 4324 North Market.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—German or colored woman for general housework; come recommended; good wages. 3633 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework. 1915 Virginia av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl for general housework. 1414 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for light housework. 2430 S. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 803 Ann av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 1610 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 3629 Folsom av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 4250 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A neat German girl for general housework. 1502 St. Louis av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2138 S. Compton.

LADIES WANTED—And girls; steady evening or day work; $7 to $10 weekly. Room 404, 821 Chestnut st.

LADIES WANTED—$12 salary guaranteed per week to ladies desiring pleasant employment at their homes; experience unnecessary; inclose stamp for full instructions, etc. 20th Century Co., Toledo, O.

LADIES—Have your hand read correctly for 25c. Miss Hall, 216 Emilie bldg., 9th and Olive.

LADIES WANTED—All ladies to call Saturday, 9 to 3. Pozzoni bldg., room 322, 821 Chestnut.

LADIES WANTED—To learn hairdressing, manicuring or facial massage; only four weeks required; complete outfit of tools presented each student; positions guaranteed; splendid wages paid graduates; call or write today. Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st.

NECKWEAR HANDS WANTED—Experienced turners and finishers on neckwear. 506 Columbia Theater bldg.

NURSE WANTED—Experienced nurse, able to take charge of baby; ref. 3741 Laclede av.

NURSE WANTED—Nurse to assist in care of child and plain sewing. Call 5530 Clemens.

NURSE WANTED—For infant; must be 35 to 45 years old, and experienced. Apply with references at 4012 Westminster pl.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist with nursing baby. 5024A Fairmount av.

OVERALL AND PANTSMAKERS WANTED—Expert overall and pantmakers; union factory and wages. 2009 Morgan st., Jokerst Mfg. Co.

PRESSFEEDERS WANTED—Job pressfeeders; girls or boys. Mound City Ptg. House, 11 S. 2d.

SALESLADIES WANTED—Experienced salesladies for chinaware and for our cloak department. Apply at once to Superintendent, Grand-Leader.

SCRUBGIRLS WANTED—8 scrubgirls, health resort, Hot Springs, Ark.; $15 per month; free pass; fee deducted. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED—5 experienced shirtmakers, on part work; also, few young ladies to learn the shirtmaking trade. Ferguson-McKinney (new shirt factory), 1700 S. 14th st., corner Soulard.

SHORTHAND—Day and night school; tuition per month, day, $10; night, $5; positions procured. Hartsock & Jones's Business College, Grand av. and Windsor pl.; call for catalogue; investigate.

SKIRTMAKER WANTED—Experienced skirtmaker; come ready for work. 712 N. 10th st.

SKIRT MAKER WANTED—Good skirt maker and finisher on coats. 208 Century bldg.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced; come prepared for work. N. & J. Friedman, 8th and Lucas av.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED—Young lady; one with exceptional fine business ability; position permanent; none other need apply. Ad. K 52, Post-Dispatch.

STITCHER WANTED—First-class top stitcher on men's fine shoes; good pay; steady work. Apply by letter or in person. Illinois Shoe Co., Alton, Ill.

TREER AND SORTER WANTED—Treer and sorter wanted; also girls to learn tablework on children's shoes. Peteler Shoe Mfg. Co., northeast corner 2d and Pine.

WAITRESSES WANTED—Six waitresses; country; free pass; $20 to $22. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Wash lace curtains. 3007 Olive st.

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WOMAN WANTED—Woman to clean up dental office. 612 Olive st.

WOMAN WANTED—To cook, wash and iron; good wages; ref. 1221 N. Grand av.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

FINISHERS WANTED—Expert finishers and hand work ironers; two mangle girls, two experienced markers and sorters, 2 bundle wrappers. Westminster Laundry Co., 3126-3128 Olive.

GIRLS WANTED—Two small girls for light work. Union Laundry, 2008 Morgan st.

STARCHER WANTED—One competent to take care of starch room. Tuxedo Laundry, 3936 Laclede av.

LOST AND FOUND.

Lost.

BROOCH—Lost, enameled brooch, with small diamond and pearls, between 5th and 18th sts., or on Washington av. car. Please return to drug store, 6th and Olive, and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, liver and white pointer; collar with name; stump tail. Reward if returned to 1906 Arsenal st.

DOG—Strayed or stolen, dog, cocker spaniel; black shaggy hair, long ears; answers to Jim. Return to 2627 Locust st. and receive reward.

DOG—Lost, speckled female bird dog; weight about 45 pounds. Reward at 306 N. 11th st.

DOG—Lost, fox terrier; white, brown spot on left eye; liberal reward. 3700 Lindell av.

DOG—Lost, Rover, 6-months-old large St. Bernard male dog; double dew claws on hind foot; reward. 1125A St. Ange av.

GRIP—Lost, an imitation leather grip, containing collar, cuffs, pocket testament and some papers. Finder please return to Laclede Hotel, St. Louis.

HANDKERCHIEF—Lost, lady's drawn-work handkerchief, Jan. 15, either on Washington av. cars or Washington to Locust st. on Broadway. Reward at 525 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

OPERA GLASSES—Lost, pearl opera glasses, marked Dorothy; left in cloakroom, Olympic Theater, Wednesday evening. Reward if returned to 3650 Lindell bl.

PASSBOOK—Savings passbook No. 14,890 of the St. Louis Trust Co. is missing. Any person having a claim to it is hereby called upon to present the same within 10 days, or submit to having said passbook canceled, and a new one issued.

PIN—Lost, on the 15th, gold buckle pin, Broadway, Vandervoort's to Nugent's or Sonnenfeld's. Reward at 5129 Kensington av.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, pocketbook, on Market st. car. Finder return 2818 Cass av., reward.

POCKETBOOK—Lost; on Market st. car. Finder return to 2618 Cass av.; reward.

PURSE—Lost, lady's black leather purse. Finder liberally rewarded at Kellogg Newspaper Co., 2-4 Walnut st.

PURSE—Party found red purse Tuesday evening return to 3062 Sheridan av. Reward.

RING—Lost, plain band; inscription on inside; double value of ring as reward. Return to D. R., 212 N. 8th st.

SPECTACLES—Lost, pair skeleton spectacles, on Delmar car or near Clarendon av.; return to 5181 Morgan st. and receive reward.

SPECTACLES—Lost, pair of gold-rimmed spectacles, between Cote Brilliante and North Market, on Spring av. Reward for return to 3717 Cote Brilliante av.

WATCH—Lost, ladies' gold watch, on Easton av. car or in neighborhood of Easton and Academy avs.; return to 5447 Easton av. and receive reward.

Found.

FOUND—Where you can find a double sole box calf shoe, $2.95. Harris, 409-411 N. 6th st., the best appointed and roomiest shoe store in St. Louis.

PATENTS AND PENSIONS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

PENSIONS, patents; advice free. H. D. & E. S. O'Brien, 421 Chestnut st., St. Louis, Mo.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

ADAMS ST., 2233—Two furnished connecting rooms for light housekeeping; first floor.

BENTON ST., 920—Furnished rooms, for light housekeeping.

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Rooms 25c, 35c, 50c per day; weekly rates correspond.

BROADWAY, 513 S.—Clean, nicely furnished rooms, with good heating stoves; $1.25, $1.50 per week.

BROADWAY, 1235 N.—Nice front rooms for gentlemen; $1.25, $1 and 75c; heating stoves.

CASS AV., 3619—Neatly furnished room for two gentlemen; reasonable; convenient to cars.

CHESTNUT ST., 1409½—Furnished rooms for gentlemen and housekeeping; all convs.; low rent.

CHESTNUT ST., 1501—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping.

CHIPPEWA ST., 2751—Three nice rooms suitable for young couple or for dentist.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1233—Nicely furnished rooms, gents or housekeeping, $1.50; also large hall room $1.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1016—Nicely furnished connecting 2d-story front rooms, housekeeping, $3; single rooms $1.50 to $2; gents or housekeeping.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1012—Rooms for light housekeeping; unfurnished, 75c to $2; two connecting, $1.50 up; furnished, $1.50 to $3. Webster.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1016—Nicely furnished connecting second-story front rooms; housekeeping; $3; single rooms, $1.50 to $2; gentlemen or housekeeping.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1304, 1306 AND 1308—Lovely furnished rooms, first floor; housekeeping; every convenience.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1233—Nicely furnished rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping; $1.50; also hall room, $1.

COMPTON AV., 906A N.—Nice 2 and 4 room furnished flat; all conveniences.

COOK AV., 4250D—Furnished room; hard coal heater; modern conveniences; ladies employed preferred.

DELMAR BL., 3850—Nicely furnished, well heated rooms; hot bath; [illegible]

DILLON ST., 1329—[illegible] room, gents or light housekeeping; $1.25 week.

DICKSON ST., 3007, First flat—Furnished room, steam heat, gas, bath, 'phone; housekeeping; $2.50.

EASTON AV., 3108—Two bedrooms for light housekeeping; hot and cold water.

EASTON AV., 3036—For housekeeping; also room for gentleman; gas, hot bath, furnace heat.

EASTON AV., 2814—Nice large furnished back room on second floor with bath; $1.50 week.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 713 N.—Nicely furnished front room.

EVANS AV., 4335A—Neatly furnished southern exposed room, in private family, for refined lady.

FIFTEENTH ST., 807 N.—Furnished rooms, with or without housekeeping.

FIFTEENTH ST., 604 N.—Rooms, furnished and unfurnished; also single room.

FOURTEENTH ST., 24 S.—Near Market st.; three extra big rooms, $12; see Pandolfine.

FOURTH ST., 318 S.—2 rooms furnished for gents.

FRANKLIN AV., 1408—Second-story front and hallroom; also double parlors for housekeeping.

FRANKLIN AV., 1622—Nicely furnished large front room, for two gents; also, one room for light housekeeping.

FRANKLIN AV., 3428—Two connecting rooms, complete for housekeeping; warm and cheerful.

FRANKLIN AV., 3033—Nicely furnished room for one or two gents; gas, bath.

GAMBLE ST., 2821—Large front room, furnished for housekeeping; also other rooms; all conv.

GARRISON AV., 624A N.—Furnished rooms, in steam-heated flat.

GARRISON AV., 930 N.—Well furnished rooms; furnace heat; bath, gas, housekeeping if desired.

GRATTAN ST., 1221—S. 16th st.; unfurnished or furnished large, light second-story room; small room adjoining if desired; private family; gentleman or lady employed; $1 week.

JEFFERSON AV., 223 S.—Furnished room; also basement furnished for housekeeping.

KNAPP ST., 1602A—Two furnished connecting rooms, third floor; private family; rent singly or together.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2745B—Newly furnished rooms.

LAWTON AV., 3015—Fine large front room; well furnished, complete for light housekeeping; $3 per week; single or connecting rooms, reasonable.

LAWTON AV., 3134—Nicely furnished front housekeeping rooms; $2 up; hot bath; all convs.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 724 N.—Nicely furnished rooms; hot bath; modern conveniences; $1 up, corner Morgan st.

LEMP AV., 2804—Nicely furnished front room for two gentlemen or couple; gas light.

LINDELL AV., 3509—Two nice connecting rooms, single or en suite; southern exposure.

LOCUST ST., 2712—Furnished brandnew; gas, porcelain bath, furnace heat; use of encyclopedias; cheap.

LUCAS AV., 2704—1, 2 or 3 plainly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 3229—Two large unfurnished rooms; third floor; to man and wife; $7 month.

LUCAS AV., 2847—Very elegantly furnished front rooms; also, one for 3 or 4 gentlemen.

LUCAS AV., 3217—Very desirable second-story front and connecting room; light housekeeping; all conveniences.

LUCAS AV., 3207—Beautiful southern rooms, handsomely furnished; private family adults; all conveniences; cheap.

MARKET ST., 814—Neatly furnished rooms for gentlemen; only $1 per week and up.

MORGAN ST., 2902—Two lovely unfurnished rooms, second floor; bath; private family.

MORGAN ST., 3126—Neatly furnished second-floor front and connecting rooms; light housekeeping; gas; hot bath; 2 car lines.

MORGAN ST., 4067—Elegant furnished front rooms; hot bath, furnace heat; $3 and $5.

MORGAN ST., 2206—Large front room for housekeeping; $2 week.

MORGAN ST., 3126—Neatly furnished second-floor front and connecting room; gas, hot bath, light housekeeping if desired.

MORGAN ST., 3351—Second-story front room; southern exposure, for two or three gentlemen; home comforts.

MORGAN ST., 2747—Nicely furnished front room, for one or two gentlemen or nice couple, with heat; $2.50 week.

O'FALLON ST., 2032—Three rooms, $7. 2675 S. 7th st., 3 rooms.

OLIVE ST., 2305—Large front room; also two connecting for housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 2324—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; convenient and reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 4051—Nicely furnished front room, furnace heat; hot and cold bath; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2735—Two furnished first-floor front rooms; also third-floor front rooms for housekeeping; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2657—Second floor front room, furnished for light housekeeping; use of laundry.

OLIVE ST., 2124—Good basement; every conv.; range; will take work for rent.

OLIVE ST., 2924—Large furnished front room, with piano; hall room, $1 weekly; hot bath.

OLIVE ST., 2102—Elegantly furnished rooms, furnace heat; bath; gas; rent reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2819—Large front room; well furnished; cheap; to 2 or 3 persons together.

OLIVE ST., 3553½—Nicely furnished room, hot and cold water; gents only.

OLIVE ST., 1812—Large front rooms or 2 connecting rooms complete for housekeeping; rent reas.

PAGE BL., 4660—Elegantly furnished front, connecting or single rooms; private family.

PINE ST., 2636—Large newly papered attic and large light housekeeping rooms, $1.50 up.

PINE ST., 2340—Furnished rooms for rent; $1.50 week, with fire and light.

PINE ST., 2338—Second-floor front for housekeeping; also two connecting rooms; first floor.

PINE ST., 2700 (Corner)—Handsomely furnished front room; first floor; gas, bath, furnace heat.

ROOM—Nicely furnished front room, for refined lady; all conveniences. Ad. R 78, Post-Dispatch.

SARAH ST., 912 N.—Two large bright furnished front housekeeping rooms; every conveniences; bath; laundry; $8.

SEMPLE AV., 1908—Three unfurnished rooms and bath; hot and cold water; rent, $10.

SHENANDOAH AV., 4133—Neatly furnished room, for gentlemen; quiet and healthy neighborhood; two cars.

SIXTH ST., 817 N.—Rooms, 15c, 20c and 25c per night; $1 a week and up; men only; free bath.

STODDARD ST., 2627—Nicely furnished second-story front room for gentlemen or light housekeeping; also back room; bath.

WASHINGTON AV., 3408—Nicely furnished second-story front room with alcove; all conveniences; reasonable.

ROOMS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

THERESA AV., 515 N.—Nicely furnished front room and others; heat; all conveniences.

WASH ST., 1818—Nicely furnished room for light housekeeping; water in room.

WASH ST., 1611—Fur. front room for housekeeping; with cook stove; southern exposure.

WASHINGTON AV., 2717—Neatly furnished rooms; terms reasonable.

WASHINGTON AV., 1411—Nicely furnished front and back parlors; hallrooms and rooms for housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 1511—Front and back parlors; also nicely furnished rooms, with or without housekeeping.

WASHINGTON AV., 2233—One newly furnished third-story front room; private family.

WASHINGTON AV., 3215—Nicely furnished second-story alcove room; terms reasonable; home comforts; all conveniences.

WASHINGTON AV., 2942—Nicely furnished rooms for rent, for men only; all conveniences.

WASHINGTON AV., 1137—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; also hall rooms.

WASHINGTON AV., 1508—Furnished rooms, $1 a week up; 40 minutes to World's Fair grounds.

WASHINGTON AV., 3038—Neat furnished room, first floor.

ROOMS WITH BOARD.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BOARD AND ROOM—Couple without children; 1st-class, and all conveniences; private family; South Side. Ad. K 167, Post-Dispatch.

CABANNE AV., 5140—Furnished room, with board; private family.

COOK AV., 4068—Real warm room; southern exposure; furnace heat; excellent table; reasonable terms.

COOK AV., 3673—Nicely furnished second story room with board; hot water, heat, all conv.

COOK AV., 4068—Real warm room, southern exposure; furnace heat; excellent table; reasonable terms.

COOK AV., 3402—Room and board; furnace heat; parlor; piano; $3 weekly.

COOK AV., 3623—Room and board; pleasant home for one or two young men; terms will suit.

COOK AV., 3951—Elegant southern exposed front room, with board; furnace heat; private family.

COOK AV., 3402—Room and board; furnace heat; parlor, piano; $3 weekly.

DELMAR BL., 3710—Nicely furnished room; good board; every convenience.

DICKSON ST., 2905—Well furnished room, with board; modern conv.; $4 for one; $7 for two.

EUCLID AV., 1252A—Newly furnished room; excellent board; private family; for two gentlemen; bath, hot and cold water; reasonable rates; 30 minutes' ride, Suburban or Transit.

FINNEY AV., 4243A—Two furnished rooms, with board.

FINNEY AV., 4111—2d floor front with board, 2 or 3 gentlemen; furnace heat.

FINNEY AV., 3809—Furnished room with board in private family; terms reasonable.

FINNEY AV., 3923—Room and board, $3.50 week; bath and every convenience; gentlemen.

GARRISON AV., 613 N.—Comfortable furnished well heated rooms; 1st-class table; reasonable.

GOODE AV., 1812—Good home for child; will board more for company than money.

LAWTON AV., 3019—Light housekeeping rooms; also first-class board; reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 3041—Well furnished, warm, second floor rooms; all conveniences; board if desired.

LOCUST ST., 2807—Large, warm second and third story rooms; furnace heat; first-class table.

LOCUST ST., 1404—Elegantly furnished, newly decorated room; hot bath; excellent board; $5 week.

LOCUST ST., 2212—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; hot bath and home conveniences.

LUCAS AV., 3336—Two large connecting rooms on second floor; first-class board.

LUCAS AV., 3311—Large second-story front and connecting, with good board; terms reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 2402—Nice clean room; good board; two gentlemen; hot bath; reasonable.

LUCAS AV., 2927—Pleasant warm rooms, first-class board; bath and gas; reasonable.

MAPLE AV., 5071—Newly furnished rooms, second floor, to gentlemen or couple; $45 month.

MAPLE AV., 5043—Furnished rooms with or without board; hot and cold water; gentlemen preferred.

MISSOURI AV., 1615—Desirable front room, with board; opposite Lafayette Park; reference.

MORGAN ST., 3428—Nicely furnished rooms with board; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 2904—Room and board; gentlemen; hot bath; $15 month.

MORGAN ST., 2900A—Nicely furnished second floor front room; couple or gentlemen; board; prices moderate.

MORGAN ST., 3107—Front room, board, modern house; few day boarders accommodated.

OLIVE ST., 2841—3 neatly furnished rooms, with board; $5 per week; gentlemen preferred.

PAGE BL., 4349—Two beautiful rooms, with every conceivable convenience, including porcelain tub; excellent table; neighborhood unsurpassed; one third story room; $33 for two; refinement a necessity; call.

PARK AV., 2843—Room with board for gentleman; private family; first-class; terms reas.

PINE ST., 2720—Large room, two meals a day; $3.50 per week; all conveniences.

PINE ST., 2619—Newly furnished second floor front; southern exposure, with all conveniences, for gentlemen or couple; also other rooms, with or without board.

PINE ST., 3429—Second-story front and other rooms with first-class board; all convs.

PINE ST., 2918—Room and board; also roommate for gentleman.

PINE ST., 2820—Beautiful southern exposure room and board for two gentlemen or couple; modern.

ROOM AND BOARD—2d floor front room, with board; gentlemen, couple or ladies employed; moderate prices; conveniences; east of Grand. Ad. K 82, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Two beautiful furnished or unfurnished rooms, West End, modern conveniences; fine neighborhood; three street car lines; very good table; home cooking; congenial people; moderate price, in a German family. Ad. K 68, P.-D.

VERNON AV., 5263—Board and front room for couple or two gentlemen; modern house.

WASHINGTON AV., 2929-2936—Finely furnished rooms; 1st-class table and service.

WASHINGTON AV., 3102—Rooms with or without board; a nice, large, light and elegantly furnished front room, for one or two gentlemen; a private family of two; excellent table.

WASHINGTON AV., 3225—Second story front and adjoining, with board; all conveniences; furnace heat.

WASHINGTON AV., 5070—Large front room, for gentlemen; excellent table; refined surroundings; convenient to cars.

WASHINGTON AV., 3140—Nicely furnished room and board; good home cooking; all conv.

WASHINGTON AV., 3021—Elegantly furnished room; newly furnished throughout; strictly first-class; all conveniences; excellent board and service; all home comforts.

WEST BELLE PL., 4478—Large second-story room; southern exposure; for couple; first-class table.

WEST BELLE PL., 4406—Second story front room, good board, hot bath, furnace heat; for couple.

WEST BELLE PL., 4206—Neatly furnished rooms with excellent board; home comforts.

WEST PINE ST., 3761—Front room with board; so. ex.; telephone in house.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

HOUSE WANTED—Family of 3 adults would like to take house and board owner for rent of same, with privilege of few other boarders. Ad. M 76, Post-Dispatch.

LADY wants furnished rooms; must be near Taylor and Suburban. 5186A Easton av.

ROOM WANTED—Furnished room for light housekeeping by 2 young ladies; 1st or 2d floor; heated. Ad. K 13, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—A refined couple would like a nice room in West End, with privilege of kitchen. Ad. K 13, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—Two rooms, furnished for housekeeping; couple without children; state price. Ad. K 39, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—One unfurnished room, central location. Call 2053 Lucas av.

ROOM WANTED—Furnished room for light housekeeping; steam or furnace heat; state terms. Ad. M 84, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—A furnished room for light housekeeping, by two young ladies; first or second floor; $7 month. Ad. M 41, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—Unfurnished room [illegible] district; give all particulars. Ad. [illegible]

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BOARD WANTED—A good home for a baby boy, 2 years old, where there are no other children. Ad. K 44, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room and board for a couple in locality between Taylor and Grand, Laclede and Page; want a second-story front room, southern exposure, and with first-class board, for a reasonable price. Ad. K 48, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By young lady employed, private family, West End; state price and particulars. Ad. K 23, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Business man, widower, wants room and board in private family, west of Vandeventer; must be first-class and very reasonable. Ad. K 12, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room and board; must be near Jefferson and Madison; hot bath, pleasant room. E. J. Miller, 1437 N. Jefferson.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—In West End, by midle-aged gentleman with best of references, room and board, with home comforts; preference given where there are no boarders or children. Ad. L 78, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMMATE WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

ROOMMATE WANTED—For young man, pleasant room, first-class board; references given. 3129 Bell av.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Young lady roommate; terms reasonable. 3107 Washington av.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Nice young man to share warm room; good board; all convs; $16 month. 3721 Olive st.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Young man will share well heated room, with board; reas. 3012 Locust.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

COMPTON AV., 23 S.—Three-room furnished flat, gas, bath, heat, piano; refined couple, private family.

EASTON AV., 3036—Flat of five rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping, hot bath, gas, furnace heat; rent to first-class family adults.

MARYLAND AV., 4334—In small private family; 3 lovely 2d story rooms for light housekeeping; bath and furnace heat; ref. required.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BOARDING—One or two rooms, with board; near station and on car line. Ad. Claiborne pl., Webster Groves.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BRANNON AV., 2605, 2607, 2623, 2609—Nice rooms; $8.

CABANNE AV., 5702—Ten rooms, modern. Harris & Wengler, 909 Chestnut st.

CASS AV., 3610—Near Grand; 6-room house; bath, closet, laundry; in good order.

COOK AV., 4606—Beautiful 8-room house; finest location in city; gas fixtures; screens; $40.

LEDUC ST., 4737—Nice 4-room brick cottage; newly papered; in first-class order; large lawn and yard; barn, chicken houses, etc.; will lease to responsible parties; rent $18 per month. Apply to owner, L. J. Zall, 110 N. Broadway.

SCOTT AV., 2835—Eight rooms. Harris & Wengler, 909 Chestnut.

WEST BELLE PL., 4371—Nice 6-room stone-front house, bath, etc.; $40. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

FLATS FOR RENT.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BAYARD AV., 1323A—Five-room flat; all modern conveniences. Harris & Wengler, 909 Chestnut.

FAIRMOUNT AV., 5160A TO 5192A—New 5 and 6 room flats, bath, furnace, gas fixtures; open. Harris & Wengler, 909 Chestnut st.

FLAT—5-room flat, bath and gas, in fine condition; will rent cheap to family of adults. Apply to 1516 N. Grand av.

GOODFELLOW AV., 1362A—Nicely arranged 5-room flat; all conveniences; good neighborhood; will rent cheap.

LABADIE AV., 4243—Three rooms and bath; rent, $10.

PAGE BL., 5201A-5207A—New 5-room flats, furnace, gas fixtures; etc.; open. Harris & Wengler, 909 Chestnut st.

PARK AV., 3017—Four rooms, bath, hot water, chandeliers.

ST. LOUIS AV., 4842A—Nice 3-room flat, with bath; rent only $10.50; see it.

WALTON AV., 1007 N.—Modern new upstairs flat, 6 large rooms; newly decorated; furnace, fixtures, etc.; Vroomen & Co., 8¼ N. 8th.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

AT A LOW RENT—Any desired space on either of the 5 floors of the building, 615, 617, 619 and 621 Washington av., suitable for sales or sample rooms. Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Co., 1015 to 1019 Washington av.; ask for Mr. Emanuel.

DESK ROOM—Desk room in light convenient office; both phones. 508 Burlington bldg.

EASTON AV., 3028—Nice, clean store, suitable for any business; $10.

OFFICES—Nice, large offices on second floor Allen bldg., corner Broadway and Market st.; electric light, steam heat and water; suitable for either business or professional purposes; must be seen to be appreciated; rent low if taken at once.

STOREROOM WANTED—Storeroom, 25 to 50 feet wide by 100 to 150 feet deep; preference between 1200 and 3600 Olive st. Ad. M 57, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS CHANCES.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BAKERS—Before commencing business write for prices on oven to the Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 60 West Van Buren st., Chicago.

BUSINESS CHANCE—$150 buys valuable patent; just issued and big stock; also, dyes for manufacturing; make good mail order business. Ad. K 14, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ROOMING HOUSE WANTED—Furnished or unfurnished; good location; give particulars. Ad. K 18, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale or rent, 10-room boarding house, account of sickness. 2226 Randolph st.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, 8-room boarding house, nicely furnished; over $60 business; must sell or store furniture; sickness, other business. 3121 Olive st.

CONFECTIONERY—On busy street; living rooms; bears investigation; only $175 if sold today. Guth & Co., 222 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

DRUG STORE—Well-paying business; good reasons for selling; $950 if sold at once. Guth & Co., 222 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

GROCERY STORE—For sale, grocery store. 2201 Papin st.

MEAT MARKET—For sale; average sales, $30 daily. Ad. L 79, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, nine rooms in the West End, $200; $75 down, payments $10 month; well furnished; rooms all filled; rent $30. 608 Century bldg.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, at once, a bargain for cash, 10-room rooming house, 8 rooms already occupied by good cash tenants paying $64 per month; central location, west of Garrison. Ad. L 187, Post-Dispatch.

SALOON—Excellent corner; cheap rent; stock and fixtures, $700; true snap; must sell immediately. Guth & Co., 222 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

STORE—For sale, cigar store, fixtures and Indian figure. Apply 2525 N. Broadway.

STORE—For sale, confectionery and lunchroom; first offer takes it; sell stock or any part of it, fixtures, etc. 7228 S. Broadway.

STORE—For sale; good location; living rooms; cheap rent; leaving city. 1103 Cass av.

STORE—For sale, a first-class grocery store. Apply at 1400 Carr st.

STORE—For sale, dry goods and notion store; at a bargain for cash; new goods and fixtures; will invoice about $800; leaving city. 4135 N. Newstead av.

MACHINERY.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

For Sale.

GAS and gasoline engines erected and readjusted; results guaranteed. A. B. Hazzard, 615 N. 3d.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ALL kinds of furniture, carpets, feathers; highest price; send postal. Bensinger, 2029 Franklin av.

ALL kinds of household goods bought. Acme, 4216 Easton av. D 503.

ALL kinds furniture, pianos, carpets, contents of houses, flats, stores bought; highest price paid. Wolff, 2645 Park av.; phone C 465; Main 1580 M.

ATTENTION—Highest price paid for furniture and feathers. Bensinger, 756 Walton; send postal.

CONTENTS of houses and flats bought; full value. Jones & Co., 1143 Olive st. Main 157. C 742.

FEATHERS WANTED—Old feathers; will pay 40c per pound; send postal. S. Batavia, 116 N. 9th.

FEATHER BEDS—Will pay from $5 to $15 each postal card. Mr. Gay, 3021 S. Broadway.

FOLDING BED WANTED—For exchange, oak wardrobe, for mantel folding bed. 2922A Dickson st.

FURNITURE WANTED—Highest price paid for secondhand furniture; small or big lots. Davis, 710 N. 7th st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—I buy furniture, stoves, carpets, carloads; small lots. Rice, 2217 Wash.

IF YOU wish to sell furniture, pianos, carpets or waste household effects, see us; our sales are well attended, cash buyers. Consignments solicited; cash advanced. Salesrooms, 1219-1221 Olive. R. C. LEONORI, JR., & CO., Auctioneers.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Furniture.

BED—For sale, finest carved oak folding bed, French plate; cost $65; for $20. 1404 Locust st.

FURNITURE—For sale, parlor suit and wardrobe; also other furniture and good rifle; no dealers. 3132A Pennsylvania av.

FURNITURE—For sale, house furnishings; new, first class. 4203 Westminster; one party preferred. Call tomorrow.

FURNITURE—For sale, new heating stoves, cooks, ranges, furniture, carpets, rugs, etc.; big discount for cash; time given. N. Y. Storage Co., 2219 Wash st.

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LIBRARIAN CRUNDEN HONORED.

Dinner in Celebration of His Quarter-Centennial as Library's Head.

Librarian Frederick M. Crunden of the Public Library was the guest of honor at a banquet at the St. Louis Club Thursday night, given by the present board of directors of the library and several former directors, in celebration of his completion of 25 years' service as head of the library.

Several close personal friends of Mr. Crunden were present as invited guests. The speeches related to library matters. F. W. Lehmann was toastmaster. Those in attendance were:

F. W. Lehmann, John F. Lee, William Maffitt, O'Neil Ryan, Robert Moore, E. C. Rowse, F. N. Judson, O. L. Whitelaw, W. C. Green, Shepard Barclay, J. A. Waterworth, Morris Glaser, Edward L. Preetorius, I. W. Morton, Geo. O. Carpenter, C. W. Knapp, I. H. Lionberger, Charles Nagel, E. C. Robbins, John W. Noble and F. M. Crunden.

French engineers are working on plans to transform the lower Rhone into a gigantic hydraulic stairway.

SMALL BOY HUNTED HIS BENEFACTOR

WENT BY SHIP NORTH CAROLINA TO NEW YORK CITY.

MADE SPEECHES FOR EXPENSE

He Reached New York With Five Dollars and a Lot of Confidence in His Ability to Get Along.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A bright-eyed boy, neatly clad, and apparently about 14 years old, entered Tammany Hall at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and inquired of half a dozen men sitting in the outer room:

"Is Judge Lyman E. Warren here?" No one present had ever heard of "Judge Warren," and all were puzzled by the question. Then the caller, who was a trifle over four feet in height, said:

"Maybe he ain't a judge, but he's a big New York lawyer, anyway, and he's a Tammany Hall man. I come from Wilmington, N. C. I saw him down there last fall at the Orton House. I took supper with him, and he gave me $5, which I've got yet," and the lad proudly produced a bank book on the People's Bank of Wilmington. "He told me to write to him if I wanted to come to New York, and he'd get me a position, and maybe send me to college. I got a chance to come to New York, but didn't have time to write him.

"I'm George Love Shepard of Wilmington. Sometimes they call me 'Skeeters.'"

It was learned that the Lyman E. Warren sought by the young traveler was a member of the law firm of Warren, Warren & O'Beirne, at 31 Nassau street. Young Shepard was taken there by a reporter. He received a cordial welcome from Mr. Warren, who was greatly surprised, however, by his young friend's visit.

Sitting in Mr. Warren's private office the little fellow told how he reached New York.

"Ever since I talked with you last fall," he said, "I've wanted to come to New York. I was sitting in the Dixie Cafe, in Wilmington, one day, and said to some gentlemen there: 'How I wish I could go to New York!' One of the gentlemen spoke up and said: 'Well, you can go up with me.' This was Capt. Penwell of the three-masted schooner Emily F. Norton. I told my brothers I was going, and they said 'All right.' I sailed on Dec. 5.

"We had terrible storms and were nearly wrecked. They threw lots of the lumber overboard to save the boat, and we lay off Cape Hatteras three days in a terrible storm. Several times they talked of running ashore. When we reached Red Hook I wanted to come to New York, but they wouldn't let me, and the captain locked me in a cabin.

"Then we went to Stamford, Conn., where they unloaded the lumber. I was talking to some men there, and the steward said to me, 'Shut up or I'll throw you overboard.' Then he kicked me and I ran away. I got a policeman to get my trunk off the schooner. This was two days after Christmas. We'd been more than 20 days coming from Wilmington.

"I made a speech before the Democratic Club at Stamford, and they took up a collection for me and gave me a dollar. Then I staid at the Hotel Suburban and washed dishes and worked for my board. Thursday the police put me in the guardhouse. They said I had no home. I think it was because I am a southern Democrat. They offered to send me back to Wilmington, but I said, 'No, I want to go to New York.' They got me a ticket and I reached here this morning."

"How much money have you got?" said Mr. Warren, smiling.

"O, I've got money," said the little fellow, cheerfully. "I've got a cent. I had 5 cents when I got here."

"My, my!" said Ira D. Warren. "One cent and alone in New York," and he pulled out a five-dollar bill and handed it to the little fellow.

The young traveler, after many warnings from the Messrs. Warren, started out to see New York.

"We'll look out for you," said Lyman E. Warren. "Come here early in the morning and I'll get you a position. Where's your trunk?"

"O, that's down at the police station at Stamford."

"Well, we'll get that the first thing and find you a place to stay."

"I saw this little fellow in a hotel down at Wilmington one day last September," said Lyman E. Warren. "He was expounding Democratic doctrine to the Republican United States district attorney, and arguing constitutional questions in a marvelously brilliant way. I took a great fancy to him. I didn't expect him to come to New York in this way or quite so soon.

"He comes of a splendid southern family, but impoverished by the war. His father was a brave Confederate officer, serving in the 'Bloody Eighteenth North Carolina.' Both his parents are dead, and he lives with an old grandmother more than 80 years old. He has an uncle who is one of the most famous physicians in North Carolina. I shall see that the little fellow has a chance here in New York."

WILL SWIM FOR THIRTY DAYS

Carlisle D. Graham Will Make the Trip From Niagara to Montreal by Water.

Special to the Post Dispatch

BUFFALO, Jan. 17.—Carlisle D. Graham, the man who has five times successfully braved the whirlpool rapids, contemplates making an endurance swim from Niagara to Montreal next summer. The feat of Mrs. Annie Edson Taylor in going over the falls took the wind out of the sails of all rapids heroes and heroines, and they have found that she is the star attraction. This being the condition, it confronts them to develop a feat that will bring them notoriety and popularity. None of them has the audacity to follow where the widow led, the route being too close to death, the door of which is ever open at Niagara.

Now Graham says he will start at the foot of the falls, swim through the rapids, down through the lower Niagara, across Lake Ontario, down the St. Lawrence river and through the Lachine Rapids and into the harbor of Montreal. The distance is 300 miles. He will wear a cork suit and feels that he will have no trouble in making the trip. It is understood he will make a wager that he can make the trip in thirty days, and to do this he must make over ten miles a day.

If he had water all the distance like the rushing, dashing whirlpool rapids he could make 21 miles an hour—for it is at this speed that the flood rushes through the Niagara Canyon. Graham will leave the water whenever he desires, but, despite this, the feat will be one of great endurance.

$750 FOR A FIDDLE'S NECK.

The Whole Violin Is Worth $1000, Jones Says.

A. J. Jones, stenographer for the St. Louis County Circuit Court, came to town Thursday. Under his arm was a precious burden. It was a pretty violin, 250 years old. Mr. Jones was bringing it to St. Louis for repair.

The violin was brought by Mr. Jones from Ireland 20 years ago, Mr. Jones says, and came down to him from his ancestors. When Mr. Jones came to America, he says, he took the violin to a New York jeweler for repair. The jeweler agreed to do the work if Mr. Jones would give him the neck of the violin. The owner consented to this arrangement, not knowing the value of the heirloom. Later, Mr. Jones says, the jeweler sold the neck of the instrument for $750.

Senator Lodge at Yale.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 17.—United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge will deliver the annual address to the graduating class of the Yale law school, June 23, according to an official announcement made today.

Motor cars of a designedly heavy build are to replace a railway projected in the Congo Free State.

Famous
BROADWAY AND MORGAN.

The New

Rainy-Day Skirts!!



First showing and special sale of the new Walking or Rainy-Day Skirts for the spring of 1902.

Saturday—100 of these splendid Skirts—made of "shower proof" materials — medium weight—just right for this time of the year—cut in the graceful serpentine effect, with seven gores, graduated cords all around hip—tight fitting from hip to knee and then wide flaring, with 10 rows of fine tailor stitching at bottom—all lengths from 37 to 44.

$5.00 would be a fair price for these—but to create swift selling tomorrow we offer them at..... **2.95**

PLAYED THE ROLE OF BEAUTY IN NEED

GRACE MORDAUNT CLEVERLY SWINDLED NEW YORKER.

ADVANCED $100 ON HER RING

She Insisted on Sealing It Up and When He Opened the Box He Found a 50-Cent Substitute.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Grace Mordaunt, known to the police of several cities as Grace Denning, an attractive looking woman, has been photographed for the rogues' gallery. She was arrested at the Grand Hotel.

Although only 23 years old, she is considered by Capt. Titus of the detective bureau, one of the most clever confidence women in the country. Her victims are many and her beauty has aided her in her criminal career.

Frank J. Potter, a wholesale paint merchant, answered an advertisement in a newspaper which read as follows:

"Young widow, financially embarrassed, wishes to raise loan of $100 upon diamond ring; worth twice as much."

Mr. Potter met Grace in the women's parlor of the Fifth Avenue Hotel. The young woman, with tears in her eyes, told that she was a widow, and in order to support herself had been forced to pledge a lot of jewelry given her by her late husband.

"All I have left now," she said, "is this engagement ring."

Mr. Potter looked at it. He said he did not know anything about diamonds, and suggested that they go to a jeweler's to have it appraised. A Malden lane merchant said the ring was worth at least $200. Then the loan was made.

"Please don't wear this ring," she said to Mr. Potter, "because it is my engagement ring and you might lose it. Seal it up and put it in your safe and I will be back in ten days to redeem it."

Then she broke into tears again.

The ring was placed in a little tin box, which she personally sealed. She did not come back for it or attempt to redeem it, and when Potter finally opened the box he found the woman had cleverly substituted a paste ring worth about 50 cents.

CITY NEWS.

We wonder if "Murray" has noticed the 42-foot wide granite crossing, all of nice, smooth, wide stones, which the CRAWFORDS have laid at their own expense on opening their present store, and which reaches from opposite their main doorway (37 feet wide) to the other side of the street, for the convenience of people desiring to cross from the south to the north side of Washington avenue, without risking the turning or spraining of an ankle, which risk they run in passing over the ramshackle, uneven city crossing on the corner!! "Murray" sees lots, but we venture to say he has never seen this crossing!! If "Murray" has good sense, and we think he has, he would further add to his present luster and earn the eternal gratitude of every woman in the city if he would instruct his motormen and conductors to stop at this crossing instead of the corner!! We wonder if he will do it? Let us hear from you, "Murray!!"

Gigantic water power developments are projected in the Alps. There are now in the public improvements committee of the city council authorized the planting of 3320 trees along the various streets.

Do you want something extra good to eat? Then go to "The Budweiser" Restaurant, 815 Locust street.

LIFE PRESERVER SAVED BODY.

James Gallagher of St. Louis Was Victim of Walla Walla Wreck.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The body of one of the cabin passengers of the lost steamer Walla Walla was recovered from the sea early on Wednesday morning by the steamer Newburg.

It was found supported by a life preserver off the mouth of the Klamath river, 35 miles from where the Walla Walla was wrecked.

It has been brought to this city and identified as that of James Gallagher, who, under the name of John Gray, took passage for Tacoma. He represented a St. Louis advertising firm.

LODGE SECRETS PRESERVED.

K. P. Lodge Effects Seized for Debt Were Promptly Reclaimed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MATTOON, Ill., Jan. 17.—A curious condition of affairs exists in the Knights of Pythias, Buena Vista Lodge, at Kansas, Edwards County. The lodge has been dormant two years and yesterday all belongings, including the rituals, jewels and secret paraphernalia, were seized on an attachment for debt, claims for rent, light and fuel against the lodge and are held by order of court.

Rather than have the secrets of the order become public property and the paraphernalia of the lodge fall into curious hands, Grand Chancellor Cushing has ordered representatives of the grand lodge to settle the claims, secure the lodge's charter and reclaim the property.

The wealth of the United Kingdom is so much greater than that of France, that, if both countries had to fight for existence, England would be able to spend $50,000,000 for every $30,000,000 that France could spend.

CALL HIM ANDY AND BE RICH

His Nickname Is a Sure Road to Carnegie's Heart.

EPIGRAMS IN RECENT SPEECH

"THERE IS NOTHING IN MONEY BEYOND A COMPETENCY."

"There is Nothing That Success Depends So Much Upon as a Good Managing Wife—Road to Promotion Is Clear and Direct."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Andrew Carnegie's recent speech before the Y. M. C. A. was particularly epigramatic. Here are some that especially pleased his hearers:

"When my salary was raised from $25 to $35 a month, it was a greater X ray to me than Roetgen ever discovered."

"In the early days of my railroad career I used to wonder what in the world the assistant superintendent found to do with his $125 a month."

"There is nothing, absolutely nothing in money beyond a competency."

"There is nothing that success depends so much upon as a good managing wife."

"Be good humored. There is little success where there is little laughter."

"Success is a three-legged stool supported by capital, labor and business ability."

"Your sons will run trains 100 miles an hour."

"Business with me has never been a care."

"No rule that a man can adopt will bring greater reward than this—to abstain absolutely from alcoholic drink."

"The road to promotion is clear and direct."

"I don't like for the old-time railroad men to call me Mr. Carnegie. When I go to Pittsburg if I meet an old friend who is an engineer or a conductor and he calls me "Andy" he can have my pocketbook.

"All the old railroad men," began Mr. Carnegie, "call me 'Andy.' And there is no name so sweet. Why, some of those old fellows in Pittsburg wouldn't know who you meant if you referred to me as Mr. Carnegie. All railroaders, from the president down to the humblest trackman, are employes, and there is a spirit of comradeship that does not obtain in any other business.

"I began as a telegraph operator at $25 a month. Then Mr. Scott offered me $35 to become his secretary. Mr. Scott was assistant superintendent, and I remember that in the early days of my railroad career I used to wonder what in the world the assistant superintendent found to do with $125 a month. I hadn't thought then of one use—he might succeed by giving part of it away.

"When I became superintendent of the Pittsburg division I was proud and happy. And in those days the superintendent didn't just stand around and look wise, waiting for better men to do the work. He visited the scene of every wreck and sometimes he did not get back home for a week.

"He slept in freight cars, and ate snacks as he could find time in the open air. But that was all right. It did me good and I laughed while I worked. In fact, business has never been a care to me. Be good humored.

"I wish to say that in the railroad business more than any other the road to success is direct and open. It is said that everyone of Napoleon's soldiers carried a marshal's baton in his knapsack; so every railroad employe carries a manager's commission in his pocket. If he develop up to the measure of the commission it will be made out and duly signed.

"Don't think anybody is trying to keep you down. On the contrary, men of affairs have their eyes and ears open in quest of young men. If you are true you will prosper—provided you have the right kind of wife and are sober.

"Be careful in your work. Don't try to make two railroad trains pass each other on the same track. Mr. Marconi, who lunched with me today, may be able to do that some day, as nothing seems impossible to him, but for the present it is well to keep an eye on the switchboard."

EASY TO FIND

When you find a medicine that makes your regular food taste good, when you find a medicine that strengthens a weak stomach—then you know you're going to put some flesh on.

Scott's Emulsion does these things. We recommend it whenever the system needs more flesh. If you are thin and able to eat begin regular doses. That's your part. Scott's Emulsion will do the rest. Not flabby—but solid flesh.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl street, New York.



OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK!!

Famous
BROADWAY & MORGAN.



A REMARKABLE OFFERING IN

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

By way of introduction, we wish to remind you of the superiority of the Young Men's Clothing shown at Famous. We recognize the fact that young gentlemen make the matter of dress a careful study and knowing what they want, they naturally insist on getting it. Famous has scored a great success in this line—offering the dressy young men of St. Louis the choicest gathering of suits and overcoats—garments of the most approved styles and patterns, cut on faultless fitting lines, setting with an air of youthful, jaunty grace and possessing all the good features of custom-made productions.

A great season's business leaves us now with several hundred stylish suits that we want to hurry out. Here's the offer that we rely upon to sweep the tables clean. Values positively unparalleled.

600 YOUNG MEN'S $11 and $12.50 SUITS for $6.65!

Checked and Striped Worsteds
Stylish Sawyer Cassimeres
Rich Scotch Mixed Cheviots
Plain Smooth Black Thibets
Blue and Black Diagonals
$11.00 and $12.50 Values, at

6.65 GREAT OFFER!

All Ages, 14 to 20 Years
Chest Measure, 30 to 36 inches
Double-Breasted Sack Style
Single-Breasted Sack Style
Full Military or Plain Coats
See Special Window Display

Boys' Clothing.

Three lines where quantities are particularly large will be cleared out tomorrow at less than cost.

It's a bold movement, involving considerable loss—but good merchandising demands heroic sacrifices at this time of the year.

$2.50 Reefers—cut to 1.29

Ages 7 to 15—made from genuine Raritan chinchillas in navy blue—slash pockets, strong linings and high storm collars—reefers that just a few days ago were selling at $2.50—slashed to..... 1.29

Boys' $5 Overcoats—2.65

Nobby Overcoats, ages 5 to 14 years—in black frieze and heavy tan covert cloths cut in good, full shape and worth $5.00—now slashed to..... 2.65

$5 Knee Suits—2.85

Double-breasted style, ages 7 to 16—and three-piece suits, with vests, ages 9 to 16—splendid suits in rich dark shades of pure wool cheviots and cassimeres—$5.00 values—slashed to..... 2.85

Men's Clothing at Terrific Reductions.

Quick action now! Inventory is close at hand! The heaps and stacks of winter clothing that loom up on every table must be reduced. The man who wants a splendid suit or overcoat will be offered unequaled opportunities tomorrow. Emphatic reductions all along the line. No room for detailed descriptions. The values not only speak—they actually SHOUT!! Listen!

Men's $7.50 and $8.50 Suits and Overcoats—are now slashed to	4.75	Rogers-Peet $22.50 and $25.00 Suits are now slashed to	16.50
Men's $10.00 and $11.00 Suits and Overcoats—are now yours for	6.90	Rogers-Peet $26.50, $28.00 and $30.00 Suits are now slashed to	22.00
Men's $12.50 and $13.50 Suits and Overcoats—are all reduced to	8.75	Men's Rain Coats in tan and gray coverts—light as a feather—were $15—for	9.00
Men's $15.00 and $16.50 Suits and Overcoats—are radically reduced to	11.40	Men's Stylish Trousers—worth $4.00 and $5.00—are cut to	2.90
Men's $18.00 and $20.00 Suits and Overcoats—are all slashed to	13.50	Men's Nobby Trousers—worth $2.50 and $3.00—are cut to	1.60

Men's Finest Hats.

Choice of the House, $2.28.

That's the offer we confidently believe will bring an unprecedented rush of trade into this department tomorrow. Men's Stiff Hats, in all the swellest Dunlap, Knox and Youman blocks—Panama, Golf and regular Fedora styles in soft hats—newest mid-winter shapes and shades—unrestricted choice of the very finest in the entire stock—a great offer at..... 2.28

Men's Shoes!!

$3.50 and $4 Values at $2.45.

Let your expectations run high—this offer is all we claim for it—the greatest shoe values of the season.

A fine gathering of Men's stylish winter shoes—in patent leather, enamel, vici kid, box and Russia calfskin—all with heavy soles, extension edges and in most correct shapes.

Positively $3.50 and $4.00 values—not all sizes in every kind, but all sizes and widths in the lot.

As easy an opportunity to save from $1.05 to $1.55 as ever was presented—choice of this entire lot at Famous tomorrow at..... 2.45

THE PARRISH STOCK OF FINE FURNISHINGS GOING LIKE A HURRICANE!!

The enthusiasm continues! Swift selling day after day. Take a kindly tip and come promptly if you are at all interested—for some of the lines are limited and in many of the lots the run of sizes is broken. NOTE—Mr. Parrish will hereafter devote his entire time and attention to the laundry business!

Underwear.

Men's Silk Pleated Underwear—fancy striped—spring weight—Parrish price $2.50—at Famous..... 1.25

Men's Mercerized Silk Underwear—in plain blue and pinks—Parrish price $2.00 per garment—for..... 95c

Fine Australian Wool Underwear—camel's hair color—Parrish price $1.75—at Famous for..... 98c

Fine Derby Ribbed Underwear—in light blue and ecru color—guaranteed pure Egyptian yarn—Parrish price $1.25—at Famous for..... 75c

Stuttgart's Imported Underwear—medium weight—all wool—Parrish price $2.00—at Famous for..... 1.15

Men's Shirts.

Fancy Colored Shirts—assorted designs—Parrish's own make—his price $1.50—at Famous for..... 75c

Men's Shirts—made of imported Oxford cloth and fancy silk mixed madras—soft laundered—with and without cuffs attached—great variety—Parrish price $1.75..... 95c

Bagie Colored Shirts—stiff bosom, cuffs detached—Parrish price $1.00—at Famous..... 50c

Full Dress Shirts—lace effect and pleated bosoms—Monarch and other brands—Parrish price $2.00—at Famous for..... 95c

Monarch White Shirts—long and short bosoms—Parrish price $1.00—at Famous..... 75c

Night Wear.

Silk Madras Pajamas—Parrish price $3.50—at Famous for..... 1.75

Silk Night Shirts—assorted colors—Parrish price $5.00—at Famous for..... 3.25

Muslin and Flannelette Night Shirts—Parrish $1.00 qualities—at Famous for..... 69c

Parrish 75c qualities—at Famous for..... 39c

Umbrellas.

Parrish's entire stock of Silk Umbrellas—a grand assortment—all at one-half Parrish regular prices.

Neckwear.

Choice Neckwear—Batwings, Graduated Four-in-Hands and Band Bows, De Joinvilles, Narrow Four-in-Hands, Tecks, Puffs and Ascots—Parrish $1.00 values for..... 50c
Parrish 50c and 75c values for..... 25c

A special line of Swell Puff Ties—in light silks for evening wear—English make—Parrish price $1.50—at Famous for..... 75c

Men's Gloves.

Celebrated Fownes Kid Gloves—tans and grays—Parrish price $2.00—at Famous for..... 1.35

High-grade Imported Scotch Gloves—white, gray, brown and black—Parrish price $1.00—at Famous for..... 50c

Collars.

Earl & Wilson, Cluett's and Barker brand Linen Collars—Parrish price 25c each—at Famous, $1.70 a dozen, or, each..... 15c

"Coon" Brand Collars—Parrish price 20c—at Famous for..... 12½c

Parrish's Special Collars—made for his exclusive trade—his price 15c—at Famous for..... 9c

Fancy Vests.

Fancy Vests—Figured silks, Scotch plaids and solid red Cashmeres—some reversible "Vest-twos"—Parrish price $6.00 and $6.50—at Famous..... 3.75

Handkerchiefs.

Men's Fine Linen Handkerchiefs—hand-embroidered initials—fine sheer linen—Parrish price 25c—at Famous $1.50 a dozen, or, each..... 15c

Pure White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—narrow and wide hem—Parrish price 50c—at Famous for..... 25c

Half Hose.

Men's All-Wool Cashmere Half Hose—plain black—Parrish price 50c—at Famous..... 25c
(Or $2.75 a dozen.)

High-grade Cashmere, Lisle Thread, and Silk Mixed Half Hose—Parrish 50c and 75c kinds for..... 35c
(Or $3.00 a half dozen.)

STEAMSHIP LINES TO BE COMBINED

J. P. MORGAN SAID TO HEAD A BIG SYNDICATE.

ALL THE LINES ARE INCLUDED

Deal Contemplates Starting of a Steamer Every Day for European Ports.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A $50,000,000 trust in ocean ships is now being discussed. Of course J. Pierpont Morgan is to be the head of it, says rumor.

The trust may include not only the White Star, the Leyland, the American, the Red Star and the Atlantic Transport lines, but also the Wilson and the Dominion lines, the last named running to Boston.

A half dozen prominent officials of and shareholders in the companies named will reach New York next week.

Mr. Morgan has often said that it was a poor arrangement to have two or three big ships sailing for Europe on the same day. He says they ought to go out at the rate of one every day. Mr. Morgan is said to have told the White Star people that if the White Star people did not give him what he wanted he and his fellow capitalists would build their own ships and freeze them out.

The delegation now on its way have individually admitted that a working agreement among the principal lines mentioned is to be perfected. In the combined fleet will be about 100 steamers.

EXPLOSIVE IN THE MAILS

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 17.—J. W. Martin, a postoffice clerk, was injured today by the explosion of a package of powder, nitro-glycerin or an infernal machine. He was stamping letters and packages and a package addressed to a hardware house here exploded when struck with the stamp.

Examination revealed on it the name of a New York smokeless powder concern. The interior of the parcel showed a tin box in which the explosive had been packed.

The local hardware firm disclaims having ordered such a package or having been notified of its shipment. The postal authorities have begun an investigation. Arrests may follow.

INDIANS MUST GO WITHOUT PAINT

ALSO WITHOUT LONG HAIR AND THEIR BLANKETS.

THIS IS AN OFFICIAL ORDER

Buffalo Bill Suggests That Bath Tubs and Boiled Shirts Be Given Them.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Close cropped hair, faces destitute of paint and the abandonment of blankets are the styles prescribed for Indians by the commissioner of Indian affairs. The Indian is also ordered to quit having war dances, ghost dances and feasts of snakes and dogs. The order applies to both sexes.

"Buffalo Bill," who is here, said:

"Every Indian should be provided with patent leather shoes, a porcelain-lined bath tub and a boiled shirt. O, how a poor Indian is degenerating."

Col. Cody, who himself wears long hair, thinks the way of wearing the hair should be left to the individual taste of the Indians.

The order against painting of faces is made because the paint melts, runs and results in diseases of the eye. The Indians hold that the painting their faces keeps them warm in winter and cool in summer.

Two to One

You buy a Suit and Overcoat in the Great Clearing Sale. Gibbe, 7th and Franklin av. See page 5.

ST. LOUIS NEEDS ASPHALTUM.

PRICE, Utah, Jan. 17.—Orders have been given by Superintendent Arthur J. Lee of the St. Louis Gilson asphalt mines to double the output of the mines through the entire year of 1902. The cause of this is the fact that the World's Fair street paving contracts in St. Louis call for a vast amount of the second-grade gilsonite.

Every day and Sundays, too.
Leaves Union Station 10—$22.

Another New Trust Company.

The North End Trust Co., capitalized at $1,000,000, with a surplus of $500,000, was organized at the Mercantile Club Thursday night. The offices will be located in the North End. The directors are: J. W. Van Cleave, Dr. Otto E. Foerster, H. E. Wagoner, L. D. Kingsland, Z. W. Tinker, H. C. Poliman, J. D. Simpson, F. W. Kleine, F. H. Smith, August F. Klasing, George Wiegand, Asa T. Morse, Fred Mayer, A. W. Sommers, C. A. Sinclair, C. C. Crone, E. J. Miller, William E. Landvogt, F. Esselbruegge, L. C. Herman and William Luebbering. Walter F. McEntire was chosen as attorney for the company and H. R. Gregory as organizer.

Government by injunction has assumed a new terror. A Newark, N. J., girl has made application to the Supreme Court for an injunction to restrain a young man who she says promised to marry her from marrying another girl.

What $2.50 Will Buy!!



LONDON TOE, $2.50.

A double-sole enameled calf mid-winter Shoe, $3.50 value, cut to..... $2.50

Lot 2—A calf-lined Box Calf, 2 styles of toe, $3.50 value..... $2.50

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